

**COUNTY COURT
WELL ATTENDED**

County Court Day in This City Monday Was Attended By a Good Crowd.

Monday was county Court Day in this city and quite a nice crowd was in attendance and considerable trading was carried on. The merchants report a very good day. Below is the report of our live stock sales reporter:

There were 2500 head of cattle of all kinds on hand, something very unusual for this month, for one-half the number is the usual thing. I send all the sales I could find, most of them being sold by the head for so many dollars and not weighed, hence my inability to get a large number, but the one I report gives a good idea of the prices, which are from one to two cents higher per pound than January Court. There was a large number of mules for sale, but no buyers. Too early in the season for farmers to buy, and for some reason the wholesale dealers were not on hand. Saw a few plug horses being exchanged, but saw no fine horses for sale. There were a car load of draft mares sold publicly, the prices of which I will send for next week's paper.

Jack Stofer sold 10 800-lb. steers at 12½ cents.

Sam Keaton sold 22 head of 600 pound steers for \$70 per head.

Mr. Keith sold ten 450 pound heifers at 10 cents per pound.

Mike Wilson sold some Canner cows at 5¼ cents.

Mr. Wilson also sold five 600 lb.

steers at 10 cents; two fat cows at 9 cents.

D. W. Owings sold nine 625 pound steers at 12 cents.

Sam Keaton sold 20 550 lb. steers at \$60 per head.

Omar Goodpaster bought fifty-six 500-pound steers at 10 cents per pound. Two cows, 835 pounds, at 9 cents per pound.

A. Snedegar, six steers, at 9 cents, 600 pounds.

Chas. Highland, six 600-opund steers at 12½ cents.

Sam Keaton, sold fifteen 750-lb. stock cows at 7 cents.

Williams & Henry sold 11 head of 400-pound heifers at \$35 per head, and 21 head of 500-pound steers at \$42.00 per head.

Am under obligations to Mr. Wm. Cravens, one of the best auctioneers of Central Kentucky, for reports of the following sales. He reports that prices on everything are better this season than in any year since he has been in the business. Robert Lockridge sold 32 head of sheep at \$24 per head. Hay from \$30 to \$34 per ton. Cows from \$80 to \$100.00.

At Jas. Ralph's sale, fine mare, \$250; Cows from \$75 to \$100 each.

At the Chas. Lewis Sale, big crowd and bidding fine. Nine yearling steers, \$62.50 each. One pair of mules, \$435.00. One cow and calf, \$136. One Bull, \$80. Several cows, from \$80 to \$100.

J. R. Bramblett's sale, 1 pair of mules, \$450; 1 2-year-old mule, at \$130; mares sold low; cows from \$80 to \$125 each.

When Gabriel blows him trumpet many will rise up and declare that they never did like loud music no-how.

**SLIGHT DECREASE
IN THE PRICES**

High Grade, Colory Tobacco Selling Well, But Slight Break in Cheaper Grades.

Although weather conditions have been unfavorable, the three warehouses continue to receive considerable tobacco. There has been a slight break in the prices of the low and medium grades, and while they are hardly as high as they were a few days ago, the prices received are in most instances acceptable, if not entirely satisfactory to the growers and we have heard no complaint regarding the high grade tobacco. Those in charge of the warehouses say there is quite a large amount of tobacco yet to be stripped in this and adjoining counties. As soon as they can do so the growers should get their tobacco on the market.

DOGS KILL SHEEP

Sunday night dogs killed twelve sheep for Thornton Snelling, one for Stanley Hadden and one for N. B. Hoskins, and injured several others. Five of the dogs were killed (none of them wearing license tag) and there are hundreds of others throughout the county the Sheriff should at once kill as required by law.

We hear a number of complaints from people of the city as well as the county about being troubled by worthless dogs destroying their property.

Devote more time to What Is than to What Isn't.

**GROWERS GIVEN
WARNING**

Head of Large Tobacco Company Warns Against Over-Production Coming Year.

A couple of weeks ago the Lexington Herald edited by Mr. Desha Breckinridge advised the farmers and growers to be careful about increasing their facilities for handling large tobacco crops, advising them not to be over-confident on account of the very high prices being paid this year as they have no assurance of high prices for the coming season. In the issue of yesterday the Herald reproduced a letter from J. P. Taylor, of the J. P. Taylor Co., of Richmond, Va., and one of the largest leaf tobacco dealers in the country, and we are taking the liberty of reproducing this letter for the benefit of the growers of this section, without comment on our part:

"I want to congratulate you on the editorial in your Monday, February 3rd, edition, headed 'Tobacco Outlook.' Your advice is so sane, good and practical that I can't refrain from writing you. If you can persuade your farmers to follow same it will mean many dollars in their pocket and a most satisfactory result in every way. The present abnormal prices are a great temptation to farmers to over-produce and if they follow this policy it will certainly bring low prices again in the near future. I hope, therefore, that you will continue to keep this matter before them as I

am quite sure you could not do a better deed than to influence them along the lines of your editorial.

"Yours very truly,
"J. P. TAYLOR."

WHAT ABOUT IT?

A couple of weeks ago at the suggestion of a most excellent gentleman, we suggested a big celebration for the soldier boys for the Fourth of July, and requested that a committee be appointed to take charge of the matter and make it a big day for everybody. We named Mr. H. G. Hoffman as Chairman of the Committee, and he very promptly said he was ready to co-operate in any way he could, but that he had mentioned it to several people, and that everybody seemed to want to put the real work on the other fellow. The gentle who made the suggestion, the newspapers (and all three are willing to do their part) will not benefit one cent by the celebration and if the merchants of the town are not live wires enough to see the benefits for them, then as far as we are concerned the matter can go by the boards. We have one, if not the best city its size in Kentucky, but how badly, oh, how badly do we need awakening to our real opportunities and the great chances for advancement we are letting go.

SCHOOL GARDENS

Prof. Clarence W. Matthews, assistant director of U. S. School Gardens for Kentucky and Tennessee, was a visitor to our city today in the interest of his work. We shall have some information on this subject for our readers in an early edition and trust that this work will be given the attention it deserves.

**BIG SHOW IS
COMING TO TABB**

Manager Wm. B. Small has Booked The Biggest Picture Show Made In Years.

Theater patrons will be pleased to learn that The Tabb Theatre has booked the Great Victory, Wilson or the Kaiser, which is said to be the biggest picture ever produced by the Metro Corporation since that company has been in business. This picture will be shown in this city even before it will be shown in Cincinnati, Louisville or Lexington. It is a living history of the world's greatest events, a searchlight of truth revealing the darkest places in Germany's wicked heart. It shows how simple humanity triumphed over imperial crime and greed. This is a picture every American should see as it shows and tells the story of the world leader, Woodrow Wilson, the leader chosen by destiny, to lead the people of the world into the path of peace, prosperity and plenty.

CONDITION IMPROVED

The condition of Mr. Albert Hoffman, who has been quite sick for several days, is somewhat improved, and the legion of friends of this genial gentleman hope he will soon be able to be out again.

THOMPSON AT HOME

Paul Thompson, who has been stationed at a camp in Massachusetts, for several months, has been honorably discharged and has returned to his home in the county. His many friends are glad to see him home again.

IT PAYS TO READ

The Mt. Sterling Advocate

It carries more advertising than any other medium circulating in Eastern Kentucky and is read by more people.

If you miss a single issue you will actually lose in dollars and cents.

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THE FAYETTE TOBACCO WAREHOUSE CO., An Institution

LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY

SEASON'S TOTAL SALES, Official Record, 5,910,325, lbs. for \$2,624,071.30. Av'r'g \$44.39
THE HIGH AVERAGE, NOT ONLY FOR THE LEXINGTON MARKET, BUT FOR THE ENTIRE BURLEY BELT AS WELL

THE SEASON'S RECORD TELLS THE TALE

We could talk all the way down this page and not say anything as pregnant with meaning as the above lines reveal. Lexington as a tobacco market leads the world. We have the best facilities for handling and selling tobacco, for financing the sale of it, and buyers gather here

from the four quarters of the globe. We sell tobacco from the Bluegrass, from the mountains, from the purchase and from nearly every county in the State and resales from the surrounding loose leaf markets.

THE FAYETTE LED THE LEXINGTON MARKET AND THE STATE LAST YEAR. IT LEADS IT AGAIN THIS SEASON

This is a wonderful achievement, and it means a great deal. It means the loyalty of many good friends and customers. It means the confidence of all the buyers who appreciate how we try to conduct a loose leaf warehouse. It means the loyal support of a score or more of trained employees who co-operate intelligently and enthusiastically

with the management to render prompt, courteous and efficient attention to every detail of the business entrusted to us.

We have been terribly crowded. The rush is now over, and the Fayette can unload tobacco without delay.

MR. EARLY BASS CRIES OUR SALES

"TRY TO GET IN"

VISITORS TO LEXINGTON

will appreciate our delicious home cooking. Menus changed daily. See sample menu below:

Vegetable Soup10c
Chicken and Dumplings25c
Liver and Onions15c
Beef Stew10c
Vegetables5 and 10c
Fried Pies10c
Excellent Coffee5c
Short & Upper - - Lexington, Ky.

"You'll Be Pleased"

AMERICAN CAFETERIA
(34-1yr.)

APPOINTED ADMINISTRATOR

On motion of certain heirs of S. W. Edmonson, deceased, Mr. J. Arch Mason was appointed administrator of such estate and executed bond before County Judge E. W. Seaff in the sum of \$4,000.

PUBLIC SALE

Having decided to move to Fayette County, I will sell at Public Auction, one-half mile from Camargo near Gum Grove School House.

THURSDAY, FEB. 20

Beginning at 10 o'clock, the following personal property:

- 1 4-year-old Mare, good worker and saddler
- 1 Coming 2-year-old Filly
- 1 Pair Coming 2-year-old Horse Mules
- 1 Spotted Pony, 4-year-old, lady broke
- 1 Red Cow, 6-year-old, fresh in March
- 1 2-year-old Heifer
- 1 Springing Heifer
- 1 Poland China Sow, due to farrow in March
- 8 110-pound Shoats
- 4 Calves
- 8 Turkey Hens, 2 Gobblers, a lot of Chickens
- 3 Stands of Bees
- 2 Double Shovel Plows
- 1 Breaking Plow
- 1 Fertilizer Drill
- 1 McCormick Mower
- 1 Roller; 2 Buggies
- 1 Incubator, 120-egg size
- 1 Washing Machine
- 100 Bales Timothy Hay
- 40 Bales Mixed Hay
- 1 Stack of Hay
- A lot of loose hay in barn
- 75 Barrels of good sound corn
- 8 Barrels Short Corn
- 1 Grain Cradle
- Some Household Goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE

J. M. Wallace
ALLIE McCORMICK, Auc.

CORRESPONDENCE

STOOPS

There is still a large amount of tobacco to strip. Sickness and various other causes have seriously interfered with the tobacco man this winter.

Jason Richardson, son of George Richardson, is seriously ill with pneumonia, and friends and relatives are uneasy about his condition.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Prewitt moved this week to their farm near Sideview.

Andrew Webb lost by death, a fine steer, caused by eating tobacco.

We notice that our friend Stanley O. Wood has announced for Railroad Commissioner from this District. As we have to have a Republican, we don't know of a better man for the place. Here's hoping that Stanley will come under the wire a winner.

Mr. McClure Crouch, of Bourbon county, was a visitor here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Thos. Warner, who has been ill for some time, remains poorly.

Thos. Satterfield has rented of Rex Hall the farm Mr. Hall recently purchased near Pine Grove Station, Clark county, and will move there in a few days.

A great many horses and milch cows are changing hands now. We have never seen a greater demand for cows.

Friends here deeply regret to learn of the death of Henry Morgan, who died Saturday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Jas. O. Scott, in Clark county, with pneumonia. Henry was the only son of Jesse T. Morgan, and spent several years of his life here. He was an excellent young man, unassuming, intelligent, and painstaking. Everybody was his friend and he will be sadly missed by his acquaintances. Interment was made in North Middletown Cemetery, Monday February 17, 1919. Peace to his ashes.

Private Morgan Foley, of Camp Hancock, Ga., is at home on a ten-day furlough.

Private Simon P. Banks, who recently returned from France, was a visitor here last week.

The Armitage Saw Mill, of Salt Lick, is located at the Bigstaff pond, sawing a large bill of lumber for Mrs. T. B. Hill.

Richard Moore, of Flat Vreek, was operated on for appendicitis at a Lexington Hospital last week. The remainder of Mr. Moore's family have been ill with pneumonia.

ON SHIP THAT SANK

Mr. Leonard Payne, son of Mr. Ewell Payne, of this city, was on a war vessel that sunk several days ago, and as no direct word has been received from him, his family are quite uneasy. However, the War Department has reported that all on board were saved, and we feel confident that no harm has befallen the young man.

KENTUCKY GAVE

75,043 TO FIGHT

A table showing the number of men furnished to the army by each state during the war was made public Saturday at the War Department. New York led with 367,864 and Nevada stood last with 5,105 in the total of 3,757,624 men obtained by draft, voluntary enlistment or thru the National Guard. Kentucky furnished 75,043.

YOUNG PEOPLE MARRY

Miss Della Richardson, aged 15, and Mr. Arthur Chase, aged 19, eloped to Cincinnati last week where they were married. Miss Richardson, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Richardson, is a most attractive young woman, with many friends, while Mr. Chase, who is a son of Mr. Isaac Chase, is highly respected by all who know him. After a few days in the city, the young people returned here where they will reside. They have the best wishes of many friends.

MARRY AT CINCINNATI

Miss Olla Watts and Mr. Jeff Cockrell, of the Camargo neighborhood, motored to Cincinnati last week where they were quietly married. Both young people are well known here and have the best wishes of all who know them.

MUSIC RECITAL

An informal recital of music will be given at the home of Mrs. C. H. Petry on February 22, by Miss Elizabeth Giltner, in which her pupil, Miss Martha Coleman will render selections on the violin. Mrs. Jack Burbridge will assist. The accompanist will be Miss Giltner.

ATTEND LINCOLN BANQUET

Hon. Ben W. Hall, chairman of the local Republican Committee, and Mr. James O'Connell attended the Lincoln Banquet which was held at Louisville last Wednesday night.

The City Council of Winchester, at a meeting last week ordered all the principal streets of the city not already paved, to be paved and will advertise for bids at once.

STANTON CARTER GASED

Mr. Dale Carter, of the county, has been notified by the Adjutant General that his brother Stanton Carter, had been gassed. The extent of his injuries was not stated. Young Carter is a member of the A. E. F. in France.

MARRY AT COURT HOUSE

Mr. Harvey B. Sexton and Mrs. Eliza Conn, both of this county, were married at the County Clerk's office here last Thursday. County Judge E. W. Seaff officiating.

TO MOVE POOL ROOM

Mr. F. J. Schaffner will in the near future move his pool and billiard equipment from the Bauman Hotel to the store room on Maysville street just above Rassenfoss' Bakery.

Hog Island, if all reports of expenditures are true, lived up to its name.

FLU CLAIMS MOTHER

The Death Angel visited the home of Charlie Gilvin, this county, near Peyton's Lick church, on Wednesday morning, February 12, at two o'clock, and called home his beloved wife, Lydia Kate. Mrs. Gilvin was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Guthrie.

Lyda Kate Guthrie Gilvin was born June 12, 1892, was married to Charlie Gilvin January 1, 1908. She leaves her husband and four children, one boy and three girls, the oldest nine years old, the youngest nineteen months. She also leaves father and mother, five brothers and one sister, Justus Lee and Willie Frank Guthrie, who are now in France; Henry Clay, Olla Virgil, Ollie Ottis and Minnie Belle Guthrie, all of the county.

She was a member of the Christian church and lived a Christian life. She was a devoted wife and mother,

and was loved by that knew her.

The burial took place on the 13th, in Crown Hill Cemetery at Sharpsburg. May God comfort and guide those who mourn her loss. They have the sympathy of many friends.

You can't follow your inclination and stay long in the Straight and Narrow path.

The Advocate for printing.

PROMINENT MAN DEAD

Mr. Thomas Henry Clay died at his home in Paris Saturday of heart trouble. Mr. Clay who was a member of one of the oldest Kentucky families was well known throughout the State. He was a member of the Game and Fish Commission. Deceased was well known to many people here who will learn with regret of his death.

NEW AGENCY COURIER-JOURNAL AND TIMES

Courier-Journal or Times, (Daily)	2c per copy
Courier-Journal or Times, (Daily)	10c per week
Courier-Journal or Times, (Daily)	45c per month
Courier-Journal, (Sunday)	7c per copy
Courier-Journal, (Daily and Sunday)	15c per week
Courier-Journal, (Daily and Sunday)	\$7.80 per year
R. F. D. Subscriptions,	\$5.00 per year

LEAVE ORDERS AT

GEIGER PHARMACY CO.
Mt. Sterling, Kentucky

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Were you among those present at the sale at the Robertson House last Friday when a floor of medium grade tobacco sold for an average of

\$44.05 PER 100

The lowest basket sold for \$12.00 per hundred while the top basket brought \$84.00 per hundred. Look at these Averages:

Webb & Bowles	3,970 lbs. for	\$63.46 per hundred
E. B. May	895 " "	51.65 " "
Webb & Co.	2055 " "	45.45 " "

We can unload your tobacco any time you bring it in and assure you that the prices received at our house are as good as at any house because we protect our patrons.

A. R. Robertson
Tobacco Warehouse Co.

Wm. Hicks, Auctioneer
Phone 221

New Headley Tobacco Warehouse Company

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LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY

TOTAL SALES FOR SEASON 3,169,230 POUNDS FOR AN AVERAGE OF

\$42.02

Sales Since Feb. 6, 765,930 Pounds for an Average of \$48.65

On two days last week our floor average was the biggest in town. First sale Monday morning for which we are now receiving tobacco

OUR FERTILIZER SPECIALLY PREPARED FOR MAKING EARLY PLANTS HAS JUST ARRIVED

NEW HEADLEY TOBACCO WAREHOUSE COMPANY

INCORPORATED
LEXINGTON, KY.

MR. MANNING DIES

Mr. Otho Manning died last week of influenza and measles. He is survived by three sons, Howard, Cletus and Custer. The death of Mr. Manning is deeply regretted by many friends.

PUBLIC SALE

As I have sold the farm on which I reside and decided to quit farming, I will on

Wednesday, Feb. 26

beginning at one-thirty o'clock at my old home place on the Spencer pike, one mile from Mt. Sterling, offer at Public Auction the following personal property:

- 1 Roan Mare, 4 years old, well broke
- 1 Draft Mare, 12 years old, good worker
- 1 Weanling Colt, trotting bred
- 2 Jersey Heifers, bred
- 3 Weanling Jersey Heifers
- 2 Black Sows, bred, good ones
- 2 Shoats, weighing about 80 pounds
- 1 Cutting Harrow
- 1 McCormick Mower
- 1 Oliver Chilled Plow, No. 40
- 1 Vulcan Plow, No. 12, new
- 1 Double Shovel Plow
- 1 Large Feed Trough
- 1 Buggy; 1 one-horse Wagon
- 1 Two-seat Lawn Swing
- 1 Lot Milk Cans; Meat of two Hogs
- 1 Set Buggy Harness
- 1 Man's Saddle and lot of Harness
- 10 Barrels Nice White Corn in Crib
- 1 Roller, newly covered
- 1 Remington Typewriter; 1 Shotgun
- 1 Grain Cradle and Sythe
- 1 Refrigerator; 1 Oak Dining Table
- 1 Cherry Cabinet Mantel
- 1 Nice Book-Case and Writing Desk Combined; 1 Nice Hall Rack
- 1 Nice Oak Sideboard
- Several Small Stand Tables
- 1 Fine Oak Folding Bed
- 1 Old Grandfather's Clock, in good running order; 1 Oak Wardrobe
- Several Rocking and a few still chairs; 2 Kitchen Tables
- 1 Kitchen Cabinet
- 1 Press with Glass Doors
- 1 Wall Clock, and several small clocks; 1 Mantel Clock
- 1 Cot and 1 Sanitary Double Cot
- Lot of Pictures and Picture Frames
- 1 Velvet Couch; 2 High Chairs
- Skillet, Oven and Lid, Old Time Cooking Utensils
- 3 Stands Bess
- Self-sealer Jars, Spades, Shovels, Pitchforks, Rakes, Hoes, etc.
- Many other articles too numerous to mention
- 1 Good Black Cow, 5-year-old, half Jersey, fresh

Terms Made Known on Day of Sale

G.B. Swango

WM. CRAYENS, Auctioneer

TAX DODGERS

How does Uncle Sam deal with tax-dodgers? This inquiry, which was prompted by the severe penalties provided in the new revenue bill, has brought from Commissioner Daniel C. Roper a frank statement as to the Internal Revenue Bureau's attitude toward those who attempt to evade taxation.

"Any person who deliberately conceals tax liability, or who falsifies a return in order to reduce or evade any internal revenue tax, or who deliberately abets such concealment or fraud, finds arrayed against him the entire strength of this Bureau pressing for the full civil and criminal penalties. That is the attitude toward the tax-dodgers, expressed in one sentence. Whether he is a moonshiner, a stealthy trafficker in habit-forming drugs, a juggler of income figures, a delinquent in making the sworn return the law requires, or a revenue violator of any other kind, the Bureau is charged with the duty of hunting him out and exacting the full punishment provided in the law.

"Toward the taxpayer who means to comply with the internal revenue laws, fully and honestly, the Bureau extends a helping hand. Co-operation with the taxpayer is our watchword and objective.

"These two contrasts—the teeth of the law for the tax-dodger and the violator, and the aid of every lawful agency for the voluntary taxpayer—are policies necessary to the administration of tax laws under modern conditions.

"One of the most difficult of the many problems in tax collecting is to classify those who fail to fulfill the obligations imposed by law. The Bureau is obliged to maintain a large staff and to use the utmost discretion in properly labeling these cases. Even-handed justice is a heavy responsibility, and only through careful siftings can delinquents be classified.

"There are three distinct classes of delinquency with which we have to deal. First, the taxpayer who had reasonable cause, brought about by exceptional conditions beyond his control; secondly, the fellow who didn't look up or didn't realize his obligations; and thirdly, the person who wilfully evaded compliance with the law.

"As for the man who shows a reasonable cause within certain lines established by the Bureau, no penalties are asserted. All other delinquents are more carefully investigated before prosecution is begun. Many of these offenses are caused by ignorance and negligence. Failure to make the reports required by law may in some cases warrant severe penalty, as where the delinquent continues his delinquency after being warned of the penalty for failure to make return. However, if

the delinquent takes immediate corrective action, and it is clearly established through investigation that he did not wilfully violate the law, the Bureau allows him to compromise his liability to specific penalty by tendering a nominal sum of money. In such instances the money is not really in compromise but assessed to impress the taxpayer against future violations.

"But there is no relief, no compromise, for the man who wilfully evades, wilfully neglects, or wilfully falsifies. He is classed with other law-breakers in the eyes of the Bureau, and is vigorously prosecuted in the courts. No other course is open to the Bureau, in meeting fairly and squarely the demand of the

willing taxpayer "I will—the other man must." There is a solemn responsibility thus existing between the honest taxpayers and the Bureau to locate and punish the dishonest tax-dodger.

"For a decade the drift of Federal taxation has been from the indirect tax toward direct payment by each citizen and resident of his just share of the cost of government. Gradually the circle of direct taxpayers has been increased, and under the new revenue law the extension will include hundreds of thousands who never before filed declarations with the Government.

"We are therefore now come to

another milestone in national progress. We approach a new test of the soundness of American ideals of a government of, by and for the people. The test is whether our wonderful victory of liberty is worth the cost as apportioned to the private pocket-book by the people's representatives.

"It is such a big thing, this collection of taxes directly from private funds and business funds, that nothing short of our best American co-operative effort can make it successful and, hence, just. The Bureau seeks this co-operation of the people in collecting the revenues. It has never been denied or stinted; anything less than the great volun-

tary outpouring of shares in the national assessment is unthinkable.

"And it is such a big thing that the willing taxpayer must have the guarantee of this Bureau that the laggards, the jugglers and the violators will not escape taxation and penalties. The Bureau is fulfilling its part of this contract with the people—this contract that means so much in the practical, effective and just administration of the Internal Revenue laws."

NEW SHOP AT CAMARGO

Blacksmithing and all kinds of repair work. Horseshoeing, \$1.00 for new shoes. 34-3t pd Stafford & Shultz



The GREAT VICTORY
Wilson or the Kaiser
The Fall of the Hohenzollerns

SCREEN CLASSICS, INC.
MAXWELL KARGER, Director General
Scenario by June Mathis and A.S. Levino
Directed by Chas. Miller

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Would you like to sit at the peace conference at Versailles? That of course cannot be, but you can have them with you by proxy—you can see them in the great picture,

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with an ALL-STAR CAST, which will be shown at the

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History of the World War--By Francis A. March, (Brother of General Peyton C. March)

Fully illustrated. Come in and let us Show you a copy

DUERSON'S DRUG STORE
9 MAYSVILLE STREET

PERSONALS

Mrs. R. L. Coleman spent Saturday in Lexington.

Mr. Floyd Clay of Winchester, spent court day in Mt. Sterling.

Mr. Henry R. Prewitt is in Frankfort this week on legal business.

Mr. R. L. Coleman returned from a business trip to Ashland, Friday.

Mr. Seth Botts, of Owingsville, was a visitor to our city yesterday.

Judge Alfred L. Crooks, of Owingsville spent court day in this city.

Mr. T. M. Ricketts has returned from Florida, where he spent the winter.

Mrs. Minot Davis and Mrs. Claude Dunavent spent Saturday in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lawrence are spending the week with relatives in Morehead.

Mrs. Scott Goodpaster and Faris Feland, of Owingsville, were in Mt. Sterling Saturday.

Mrs. Kate Gatewood and Miss Laura Williams spent Saturday in Lexington shopping.

Mrs. W. R. Thompson is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Covington, at Richmond.

Mrs. George Vignetti, of Lexington, spent Thursday with Mrs. Dan Prewitt, of the county.

Mrs. George C. Eastin, who has been spending the winter at Eustis, Fla., has returned home.

Mrs. S. M. Newmeyer was in Cincinnati the past week buying goods for the Louisville Store.

Miss Nancy Clay was at home for a few days from Hamilton College a few days the past week.

Miss Mary Lawless Gatewood, was at home from Danville last week, where she attends college.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Pieratt, of Chicago, visited relatives here several days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Bridges and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crooks, were in Lexington Friday shopping.

Miss Helen Hall, who attends Hamilton College, at Lexington, was here for the week-end with home folks.

Mr. M. A. Tyler, of Philadelphia, was a guest of his father, Mr. W. T. Tyler, several days the past week.

Miss Mattie Judy Botts and Miss Frances Samuels spent Saturday in Lexington to see "The Kiss Burglar."

Mrs. R. A. Chiles, Mrs. Fannie Goodpaster, and Mr. Alex Chiles spent Saturday in Lexington and attended the performance of "The Kiss Burglar."

Nearly all the Grocers Sell KERR'S PERFECTION FLOUR DOES YOURS?
If not, get it From
MR. TABB

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Oldham were in New York several days the past week buying Spring and Summer goods.

Mr. James C. Robbins has been honorably discharged from the U. S. Army, and has returned to his home in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. William N. Scobee, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. B. Russell, at Jacksonville, Florida, have returned home.

Mrs. Malcolm Thompson has returned to her home in Lexington, after a month's visit with her son, Dr. W. R. Thompson.

Mr. Jake Cline of the U. S. Army, who has been stationed at Ft. Hancock, Ga., has been discharged and returned to his home in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clay and family, of Indian Fields, are moving to the Jack Lisle farm, recently bought by Messrs. Mat and Will Clay, of this city.

Dr. S. F. Hamilton and family, have returned from Alabama, and will re-open his dental offices in this city in the I. O. O. F. building on April 1st.

Miss Annie Simrall, Supervisor of Domestic Science in the Lexington city schools, spent the week end here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Simrall.

Mrs. Mary D. Jones, of Richmond, who has been visiting her son at Huntington, W. Va., for several weeks, is in this city visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. E. M. Shoemaker, who lately returned from service with the A. E. F. in France, and is now stationed at Camp Zachary Taylor, was here last week on a furlough.

Mr. Clay Cisco, together with his brothers, Judge Allen N., of Grayson, and Dr. J. S., of Salyersville, and other children, have been called to the bedside of their mother, Mrs. H. F. Cisco, of Matthew, Morgan county, who is seriously ill.

RELIGIOUS

C. W. B. M. Day will be observed at Spencer Church Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Rev. Clyde Darsie will deliver the address. Come and bring your friends.

THE SICK

Word has been received here that Mrs. Clinton Hawkins, of Versailles, (nee Miss Elizabeth Cockrell) of this city, is seriously ill and her mother, Mrs. M. C. Clay, who is in Florida, has been summoned to her bedside.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Garnett R. Chenault are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter at their home on Thursday, Feb. 13th.

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THE VOICE

By HELENA M. KENNEY.

The train rolled slowly out of the station, leaving a girl standing on the platform. Nellie Windsor was fifteen years old. Her mother and father were dead and she had no one but Uncle Jo and Aunt Betty. Uncle Jo had written her to come and live with him—and here she was. It was fully ten minutes before Uncle Jo came, and when he did he gave her a hearty kiss and lifted her into the buggy and off they went. Arriving at the farm, she found Aunt Betty waiting on the porch for her, and such a dear old lady she was. It was then 3:30 o'clock, and the rest of the afternoon was spent in unpacking her clothes and learning the rounds of the house. After supper she went directly to bed, because she was tired from her long journey.

The next afternoon she wandered around, picking flowers, chasing butterflies, and gathering an apron full of apples, she went down to the little brook. It was nice and cool and she was enjoying herself when—"Hello," said a voice. She looked up, but saw no one.

"I say, hullo," again came the voice; this time it seemed to come from the tree that was across the brook.

"Hullo, yourself," replied Nellie. "Where are you?"

"Up here in the tree," said the voice. "Come down," she said.

"Nope," answered the voice. No amount of teasing would make the voice come down. It was getting late, so Nellie said: "If I come here tomorrow will you let me see who you are?"

"Maybe," replied the voice. So Nellie scamped up the hill and home. But she was not to see the owner of the voice tomorrow, for when she got up the next morning, it was raining.

Uncle Jo came in at dinner time with an invitation for Nellie to spend the afternoon with the Browns, who lived across the field. Slowly she went upstairs to dress, sorry because she could not go down to the brook, but maybe it would be there some other time; so with this happy thought in mind she was soon ready, and Uncle Jo took her over to the Browns. She was rather shy, being among strangers, but Mrs. Brown soon put her at ease. Molly Brown was Nellie's age, and they took to each other right away. While they were sitting, talking about nothing in particular, the doorbell rang and Molly's mother went and admitted five young people who had come to spend the afternoon. Soon a boy about a year older than herself came in and was introduced as Billy Brown. What a good time she had, and what nice girls and boys they were! But Billy—where had she heard that voice?

The afternoon passed all too quickly, and when the guests rose to go, Mrs. Brown shook hands with them all, and so did Molly and Billy. When Nellie arrived home she could not help thinking what a nice boy Billy was, and she blushed when she thought how he had given her hand a tiny, unnecessary squeeze.

The days that followed were the happiest ones she had ever had. Long rambles with Molly and the Tucker twins, picnics, and often she would go for long walks with Billy. She liked Billy very much and Billy liked Nellie. But she did not forget the voice. Every day she would go down to the brook and talk and talk with it. She would tell it of the nice times she was having, and went so far as to tell it of Billy. Thus two weeks passed on and Nellie thought she was never going to see the voice, when one day the voice told her that she would see it tomorrow, sure. To be sure, Nellie was there at the appointed time, and the voice said: "If I come down, will you promise to give me one thing?"

Wondering what it could be, but curious to see the voice, as she had called it, she readily said, "Yes." It slid down the tree and there stood—Billy! "You—you—?" she gasped. Billy smiled and said, "Your promise." She was so surprised she did not know what to say. At length she said, "What do you want?"

"A kiss," he replied. "Oh—h!" and she turned to flee up the hill, but Billy like a flash caught her. It was useless for her to try to get away, even if she wanted to. (Copyright, 1918, by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

The Bloodstone.

The bloodstone is a variety of hematite having a finely fibrous structure and a reniform surface. The color varies from dark steel-gray to blood-red. It was extensively employed in ancient times, many of the Babylonian and Egyptian intaglios being in this material. Now it is much less used, except for rings and as a polish for other stones and metals. There is also a variety of quartz having a greenish base, with small spots of red jasper, looking like drops of blood, scattered through it. This kind of bloodstone is also called heliotrope.

UPTURN IN MARKET PRICES OF LIBERTY BONDS IS IMMINENT

SOME LIQUIDATION INEVITABLE, SAYS ANNALIST, BUT IT IS HEALTHY CONDITION.

The fact that the market price of Liberty Bonds is still below par has brought forth endless discussion among persons who either seek or try to give the reasons for the prices.

The present prices of Liberty Bonds have also been a factor in contributing to pessimistic stories as to the difficulty which the nation will have in floating a Fifth Loan.

The situation seems to be so well set forth in a recent article in The Annalist, New York financial weekly, that we are reprinting a part of the article:

Every loan floated, whether it be corporate or governmental, requires a certain amount of time to become seasoned. This will be particularly true of our national loans, which have all been sold during periods of tremendous pressure where every appeal was made to the buyer to take the maximum, whether or no the security was suited to his needs or within his ability to pay.

Gradual liquidation from small holders is as inevitable, therefore, as the law of survival. He shall take who hath the power, and he shall keep who can, and it is in keeping that more strength of character is required than in the resolution necessary to bring one to the point of signing the application. The gravitation that is going on, therefore, is a healthy function, except, of course, where selling is induced by unscrupulous swindlers. The liquidation from this source represents so many footprints of the bonds in passage from the hands of the weak to the strong, and every sale that takes place on the board emanating from this source is one step nearer to a solid market for Liberty Loans, since it is a well-known characteristic of those who buy in a declining market to hold either for permanent investment or for so substantial a rise that they are amply compensated for their carry.

Much of the money realized from bonds sold to produce writeoffs in the income tax will either lie in banks or go into short-time securities for investment after the new year, and the switching by savings banks may be safely counted upon to do nearly as much good to the market price of the Liberty Loans as it can harm to rails and municipalities. As a matter of fact the taking of tax exemptions from an institution unaffected by taxes and the resale of the same to private individuals is only the natural result of gravitation of securities into the final niche in which they are most efficient.

It is confidently believed, therefore, that a turn in the tangent of bond prices is at hand with an especially cheerful prospect for our national loans.

Miss Mary Coons, who has been in the government service as a nurse has received an honorable discharge and has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. N. Coons, in this city. She is being given a hearty welcome by admiring friends.

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WILL FIGHT AMENDMENT

It is reported that the distillers and saloon keepers of the county have raised an immense fund to fight the Prohibition Amendment to the Constitution. Already counsel has been employed and action will be started in all the states that have ratified the amendment at once, however, those in charge of the dry amendment will not be found asleep and old John Barleycorn will be given his knockout blow.

DIES IN INDIANA

The body of Wade Willoughby, who died in Indianapolis, Ind., of pneumonia, was brought here for burial Sunday. Interment took place in the Willoughby burial ground near Jeffersonville, this county.

DEATH OF INFANT

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Prewitt, who died at their home in Clark county several days ago, was buried Monday in the Winchester cemetery. The mother was Miss Elizabeth Hodgkin before marriage. Both of the young parents are well known in this city and have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

EDITOR OUT

Mr. Howard B. Turner, local editor of the Sentinel-Democrat, is able to be out although he will not be able to resume his duties with the paper for a week or ten days. His many friends are glad he is recovering so rapidly.

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JUST A DOG

He was just a common dog. Nothing thoroughbred or pedigreed about him. The kind of a dog one sees every time one walks down one of our streets. His master was out of humor about something and the dog was the only being within reach, upon which he could give proper vent to his anger. There was a vicious kick, a whine of pained surprise, and the poor animal dodged away. A boy was standing on the curb nearby, unnoticed by the dog's master, and as the poor fellow passed with head down and tail pulled tightly between his legs, he stroked the head and uttered a word of sympathy. Instantly the tail was active, wagging from side to side and into his eyes came an expression of the deepest gratitude. That dog was smiling. And he tried to talk to that boy with his little yelps pushed out by utter joy. He knew he had found a friend.

There was a shrill whistle—a note of command, and the dog look-

ed toward his master, the man who, but a moment before had bestowed the brutal kick. But away he went, still sending out the little glad barks. He rubbed his nose against the leg of his owner and was ready and anxious to do his bidding. Ready to lick the foot that kicked him.

And as they disappeared down the street, we wondered—still we wonder—if, when the dog leaves this life—breathes his last—we wonder if it is all over for him. Does he live his allotted time to serve and accept the human kicks and then go out for all eternity?

The unselfish animal with not a thought but to please a master or a mistress, surely must have a place to go.

We always have been taught that the beasts of the field, and the fowls of the air, and the fish in the sea, are placed here for the use and the convenience of a man. Perhaps this is as it should be—but we wonder just the same.

And when we see a man or a wo-

man, with thoughts only of self, we cannot help thinking that the Creator in His infinite wisdom, has prepared and keeps a place for the faithful dog.

REAL ESTATE ACTIVE

Mr. Rex Hall has purchased of Mr. Ollie Sanderson 165 acres of land near Pine Grove for \$170 per acre.

Mr. W. H. Bryant, of this city, has bought of Judge James W. Lane, of Owingsville, his residence in this city, located on East High Street, for a price in the neighborhood of \$3,000. Possession will be given on March 1st.

Mr. W. T. Pelfrey has sold his farm near Stepstone to Mr. William Carmichael for a reported price of \$150 per acre. This is an advance of \$74 per acre for this farm within the past 5 years.

Mr. Ellis H. Salyer, of Camargo, has bought a 61½ acre Fayette county farm, located on the Frankfort and Versailles interurban line, for a price of \$275 per acre.

Mr. O. S. Sanderson has bought 62 acres of land adjoining the farm he recently purchased from Mr. M. O. Cockrell, from Mrs. George McAlister and Mr. Bright Cockrell, for \$300 per acre.

Mr. J. T. McCormick, of this county, has bought the C. Foster Helm place, located on the Winchester pike, about one mile from Lexington. Price private. Possession March 1. The property is very desirable and Mr. McCormick will move to same to reside. He is a splendid citizen and we deeply regret to lose this excellent family, but wish them prosperity in their new home.

LINEN SHOWER

On last Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. R. I. Settles entertained with a linen shower in honor of Miss Stella Stamper, who became the bride of Mr. William Shuhart, of Georgetown, Wednesday. The honor guest received many beautiful and useful gifts and the affair was a most enjoyable one.

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LIGHT ON A DARK SUBJECT

"In the broadest sense of the term the minstrel is a universal institution."

I know there are many who say that nothing can be universal unless it pertains to the universe, the sun, the moon, stars and the earth, and they are undoubtedly correct in a grammatical sense. Still I use the term universal advisedly, for if all the planets of the universe are inhabited as many scientists would have us believe, I still maintain that the minstrel is universal in that wherever mankind exists there are minstrels.

Sincerity is always impressive and no one is more sincere than Col. John W. Vogel, who made the quoted statement. Col. Vogel is an old newspaper man, traveler, lecture manager and all around show man, who for many years managed such minstrel troupes as Thatcher, Primrose & West, McIntyre & Heath and the Al G. Fields Minstrels.

He has frequented Washington during the sessions of Congress and has widespread acquaintance among statesmen, men of letters and thinkers of the country. At present he is the owner and manager of the biggest minstrel troupe bearing his name which will shortly appear in this city. He is a student and philosopher who finds in his work the exercise and opportunity to study the country and its people that nothing else could give him. Continuing upon the subject he said:

"There is one feature of the minstrels that has always impressed me and that is the democracy of the spectators.

"I have noticed it particularly at Washington. The minstrels are always sure of a big attendance at the Capitol.

"I have noticed there the foreign ambassadors and the ministers, most of them men of high title as well as rank, and the greatest of all sticklers for etiquette. When they get to the minstrels, rank and title seem to be forgotten. I have also seen the

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A CORRECTION

The Advocate last week contained the announcement of the engagement of Miss Alma Humphries, of the county, to a Mr. Smith, of Indiana, and we have just been advised that our informant was mistaken and we therefore make this correction.

GOES TO WASHINGTON, D. C.

Miss Bernice M. Holley has accepted a position as Clerk in the Bureau of War Risk Insurance at Washington, D. C., at a salary of \$1200 per year. Miss Holley left last week to take up her new position. She is a graduate of the County High School, this city, and later attended the Eastern Kentucky State Normal School, at Richmond, where she qualified herself as an excellent teacher in the Public Schools of this county, where she taught for the past year.

A VETERAN TRAINER

E. R. Little, of Fayette county, has secured the services of Bert VanEvera to train and drive his stable of trotters the coming season.

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BOTTS WILL PROBATED

The will of the late Dan W. Botts was probated in the Fayette County Court last Thursday. Under the terms of the document his entire estate, estimated to be worth from \$50,000 to \$75,000, was left to his brother, Mr. John T. Botts, of this county.

Public Sale

Having sold my farm I will offer at public sale at the farm, 2 miles from Mt. Sterling, Ky., on the Owingsville pike on

Thursday, Feb. 27
at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

Come early and buy what you want at your own price.

- 1 Pair of Aged Mules, good workers
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- 2 Extra Good Milch Cows, due to calf in March
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- 10 Yearling Steers, weight 550 lbs.
- 6 Yearling Steers, weight 500 lbs.
- 75 Good Ewes, due to lamb early in March, will be sold in from 10 to 25 in a lot
- 3 Brood Sows, due to pig in March
- 2 Good Two-horse Wagons and 1 Hay Frame; 1 Good Tobacco Setter
- 2 Mowing Machines; 1 Old Binder
- 3 Grass Seed Strippers and Harness
- 1 Self-rake Grass Seed Stripper
- 1 Wheat Drill; 2 Randall Harrows
- 1 Sixty-tooth Harrow; 2 Feed Sleds
- 1 Corn Sheller; 1 Tobacco Press
- 2 Turning Plows; 3 Double-shovels
- 1 Scraper; 1 Scalding Tub
- 1 Two-horse Corn Planter
- 1 Fifty-gallon Oil Tank
- 1 Tarpaulin
- 4 Sets of Wagon Harness
- 1 Set of Woven Fence Stretchers
- 4 Feed Troughs
- 1 Barrel of Paint, for steel or metal roof
- 40 Bushels of Potatoes
- 1 Iron Kettle
- Hoes, Chains, Rakes, Shovels, Etc.
- 200 Wheat Sacks; 75 Grass Seed Sacks
- 40 Barrels of Good White Corn in Crib; 4 Stacks of Hay
- Lot of Baled Hay and Straw
- 1 White Sewing Machine
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DAUGHTER OF EVE

By EDITH B. LAMPREY.

When Hester Malone tripped in from her ride, the delightful tang of autumn still clung to her. Loose strands of wavy hair lay about soft cheeks whipped to vermilion by the wind. Dropping an armful of woodland beauty, she tugged at the generous enfolding collar of her modish coat and looked about her for a receptacle for the treasures.

In the tiny kitchenette she espied the big brown bean pot, alas! no longer in service, and tugged it down from an upper shelf. It was just the thing to hold the great cluster of purple asters rimmed with goldrod.

With her small, dark head cocked to one side, Hester studied the effect of warm hued autumn leaves against a drab velours hanging. Suddenly the slim, erect figure crumpled up like a soft gray kitten and plumped onto the springy couch, crying heartbrokenly. There was a mighty good reason for the tears, for Hester was known as a spunky young person, who held her head very high whichever way the wind happened to blow. Today she felt deeply humiliated, crushed in fact, and all on account of Jed Baxter's silly old car.

It had a left-hand drive, that car of Jed's, which of course brought Hester's stunning left profile in almost constant view of the apparently enamored young man. At times, as the car lurched over rails and crossings, which was often, Jed's broad right shoulder brushed dangerously near Hester's dainty left, and very, very close to her heart. Which was all very fine, or might have been, had only Jed been seated on her right hand. For on Hester's left cheek there was a scar, a tiny one, which showed scarcely any, unless irritated by a strong wind.

Jed had parked the car by the roadside, and together they had followed the winding path up the long slope dotted with clumps of vari-colored foliage. He had filled her arms with the riot of wild flowers growing by the wayside. Hester was hatless now, and as her dark head had leaned to a background of blazing sumac Jed had started toward her with arms outstretched. Hester's dilating gray eyes had already answered the love call in his when to her utter confusion and humiliation she saw his arms drop to his sides. His finely lighted eyes suddenly grew dim and dropped from hers, fastening themselves directly upon the scar on her left cheek. The thrilling words Hester had been waiting to hear for more than a year now were left unsaid.

It was the horrid little scar, of course, which had raised its inflamed head and separated her from Jed, perhaps forever. Why did she have to have that unfortunate fall in her babyhood? It was ruining her life.

A fresh burst of tears and Hester's face ducked into a convenient pillow. Jed was going West tonight "on very important business," he had told her. Perhaps there was someone there whom he cared for more than her. He had behaved strangely when they parted.

Jamie Boyce, a flashy acquaintance, called her on the telephone, inviting her out for a spin. After innumerable refusals the weary-hearted girl at last lent an ear to the persistent one. "Is it a left-hand drive, Jamie?" Hester coolly asked.

"Not for mine, little Miss Choose-It," retorted this young sport. "Is it a go, girlie?"

"I'll come," laughed Hester. It would do her good, perhaps numb the eternal ache in her heart.

It was a glorious Sunday and Hester made a desperate effort to enjoy it. Laughing and chattering like a magpie as the up-to-date car slid smoothly along under the delighted James' expert guidance, she realized that Jed's old car had been a "back number." Was Jed himself in the same category? She stole a glance at the cock-sure profile. At her second searching look Jamie whirled the big car into a quiet country lane, shut off the gas, stepped on the brake and flung his arms about her. "Hester, I love you. Will you marry me?" he demanded speedily.

Hester stared horrified into the face close to her own—the spreading irises, red-rimmed from lack of sleep, the dissipated mouth and weak chin, the green necktie, decorated with inflamed "freckles" and a diamond horseshoe. "I get ya," coolly announced Jamie, releasing her. He jabbed at the self-starter button.

If only it had been Jed! Jamie, seated on her right, hadn't noticed the scar. Hester smothered a groan. She loved Jed and Jed only.

As Hester was pluckily endeavoring to believe that she wanted to "pound brass" the rest of her life, Jed came back.

"I want you, Hester," he cried. "Indeed," commented she to the world in general. But her heart hammered divine messages.

"I've needed you for so long, dear," he explained, "but sis's little fellow who was crippled for two years needed my superfluous cash. He's O. K. now. I've just been out there to see him and make sure. Don't tell me I'm too late."

"Then—it wasn't the scar, Jed?" gasped Hester.

"The scar?" he repeated. "Hester, what are you talking about?—oh! my dear."

Being a true daughter of Eve, she had slipped to his arms without another word.

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The Independent Tobacco Warehouse Co. of Paris, Kentucky BREAKS WORLD RECORD

We sold Thursday, February 13, 1919, a floor of 79,590 pounds of tobacco for \$59,171.15, a floor average of \$74.36. The baskets sold at from \$22.50 to \$150 per one hundred pounds. The crop of Clarke, Wells & Mitchell, of 2,325 pounds, sold by baskets as follows: 250 pounds at 76 cents, 235 pounds at 80 cents, 70 pounds at 83 cents, 210 pounds at 85 cents, 90 pounds at 85 cents, 40 pounds at 85 cents, 100 pounds at 84 cents, 100 pounds at 83 cents, 190 pounds at 84 cents, 165 pounds at 89 cents, 105 pounds at 84 cents, 105 pounds at 87 cents, 75 pounds at 81 cents, 245 pounds at 81 cents and 345 pounds at 81 cents. Average \$82.44. Other crops sold as follows:

	Pounds	Price
Ardery & Brady	1795	\$78.13
Thomason, Burris & Faulkner	3415	78.32
Hutchcraft & Hill	2080	72.02
Wright & Hill	2120	77.93
Kenney & Whalen	2890	79.08
Jones & Hatfield	3655	73.33
McIntyre & Towey	3125	74.27
Ardery & Gay	2775	80.25
Clark & Young	1615	67.81
Harding, Myers & Powers	1785	75.23
Rice & Johnson	6695	78.27
Will Stuart	5395	62.83
Joff & Hinkson	5395	74.72
Ward & Prather	595	65.48
Clay & Bramel	2610	77.53
Plummer, McClure & Jones	2100	79.21
Webber & Whalen	2180	71.11
Boardman & Briely	2215	61.34
Young & Wagoner	6060	71.74
Clay & Carterson	6340	78.66
Clark, Wells & Mitchell	2325	82.44
Harding & Reynolds	2750	66.99
Ewalt & Kenton	1340	81.75
Ward & Smith	2050	78.53
Reynolds & Buzzard	2215	80.36
McIntyre & Wagoner	3310	66.25

The Independent Tobacco Warehouse Company, of Paris, Ky., led the Paris market last year. It is in the lead now. There is a reason.

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AN INTERESTING BOOK

"Reminiscences of a Soldier of the Orphan Brigade," is the name of a very interesting book by Mr. Lot D. Young, of Bourbon County, and which is on sale at Land & Priest's Drug Store. The work contains many interesting facts and is good, wholesome reading of the days that are gone. Secure your copy NOW as the supply is limited.

There is a limit as to how many fish you can catch in a State. But few anglers have to worry over it.

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Minstrelsy has been, and promises to continue to be the favorite form of amusement, for four-fifths of the theatre-going public—and well it should be—for no manner of a performance can include such a variety of material necessary for the edification of the multitudes; besides it is the cleanest and best of all amuse-

ments. Then, there are no waits

Promptly at the appointed hour the curtain rises, and from that moment until the finale you have fun without a blush. Songs of sentiment by the world's greatest vocalists, comic ditties by the best comedians on earth, who also furnish humor without taint. The songs have been sung; jokes have been told; the adonis like person in the middle has his friendly repartee with the various comedians with the bones and "tambos."

Personal grace has been shown and beauty added because of the handsome paraphernalia used in the first-part settings.

The sentiment of the balladist may have caused you to be possessed with a feeling of intoxication; the festive wit of the comedians amused you; the charming acts of the first-part in its entirety has possibly astonished you, yet the glamor, frolic and fun rolls on without hindrance.

There's no tiresome overture; but on the contrary the various novel feats gathered from all quarters of the globe commence and ere the finish has been reached you have, with your brother auditors, proclaimed minstrelsy the king of amusements.

John Vogel's All New All White Big Minstrels will be seen at the Tabb Theatre on next Monday, February 28. The company includes a hundred celebrities. The advance sale of seats opens Friday at Land & Priest's.

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For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—2 rocking chairs, 5 still chairs, fine rolled top office desk. Chiles-Thompson Grocery Co. (31-2t)

SPECIALS THIS WEEK—Towels price 15c, now 10c. Nail and Bath Brushes, price 10c, now 5c. Ladies' undershirts, price \$1.00, now 89c.

THE FAIR

FOR SALE PRIVATELY—Household Furniture, and garden implements. These articles are to be sold before March 1st. Apply to Mrs. Chas. Reis, Clay street.

FOR SALE—A Brinkerhoff Piano, practically new. Many cases. Price \$225. The E. C. Christian Music Co. "Everything Pertaining to Music," 205-207 E. Main street, Lexington, Ky.

PUBLIC HANGING—The public is hanging more of our paper this season than ever before. Beautiful line of patterns, from 6 1/4 cents to 8 1/4, cents per roll. Redmond & Enoch.

Cut your bills on Wall Paper by buying it at the Pieper Company Store.

DOG TAX—Paid your dog tax? Carry insurance for your wife? "Talk with Hoffman."

If Miss Irene McNamara will cut this ad. out and present it at the box office Wednesday she will be given a free ticket to the Tabb Theatre.

JUST RECEIVED—Car of Jefferson Flour. Made white like before the war. Once used, Always used. H. B. Ringo.

FOR SALE—Pianos, Players and Organs. Standard Makes only. Sterling, Bonkerhoff, and several other makes. See samples at M. R. Hainline's. Main Street, Mt. Sterling, Ky. Tuning and Repairing, also. J. H. Templeman Piano Co., 137 N. Broadway, B. C. Fulton, salesman.

HOGS WANTED—Forty weighing about 125 pounds. Phone 115.

FOR SALE—3 1/2 horse power Fairbanks-Morse gasoline engine, also 1 horse power International and one No. 2 Sharples Separator. Small engine is equipped to run separator. For further information and price call Chas. W. Anderson, Phone 356 J-2. (33-2t)

BUGGIES AND HARNESS of the better kind can be found at my sale rooms. Come in and let me show you. John W. Boardman.

DOG TAX—Got a Dog? Paid the tax? Got a wife? Carry Life Insurance? H. G. Hoffman, General Agt., Mt. Sterling, Ky.

PLAYER PIANO FOR SALE—Mahogany case, Absolutely plain, slightly used, but good as new. Will sacrifice for cash. Address Donald B. Neal, 346 Main St., Lexington, Ky.

The U. S. Government buys 515 Dalton's, the largest single order of adding machines ever purchased. The Government has bought over 4,000 Dalton's. The Dalton adds, subtracts, multiplies and divides. Only has 10 keys. Prices as low as \$125. Let us show a Dalton. Dalton Adding Machine Agency, Short and market streets, Lexington, Ky., Thos. J. Rentz, Sales Mgr. (33-1yr)

BUGGY—Good Rubber Tired Buggy for sale. Apply to A. G. Ratliff, Phone 757. (33-2t)

Kentucky Spring Seat Saddle (hand made) guaranteed to give satisfaction. Made right—sold reasonable. Horse Blankets, Work, Farm and Buggy Harness. John R. Salmons, N. Maysville street.

W. C. Hedrick, Successor to J. D. Turpin & Sons. Feed, Hitch and Board Stable. Make this your town headquarters. Bank Street, Phone 807.

Corona Portable Typewriter—weight six pounds, standard keyboard. Fold it up, take it with you, typewriter anywhere. Price \$50, including carrying case. W. H. Warren, with Transylvania Printing Co., Lexington, Ky. (33-1yr)

For Sale—Miscellaneous

Mt. Sterling Restaurant—"Its handy when you're hungry." Steaks, Chops, etc., cooked as you like them and served in a pleasing way. Short Orders at all hours. Maysville St.

Pictures framed at W. A. Sutton & Son.

Hat Sale—All hats, trimmed and untrimmed now selling at greatly reduced prices. Come and see me if you want a real bargain. Mrs. K. O. Clarke, 20 Broadway.

"Seed Oats"—Place your order now for first class Northern Seed Oats. Indian Creek Coal & Feed Co., W. P. Oldham, Mgr., Sycamore and Railroad. Phone 647.

"Service that Satisfies"—That's the kind you receive when you send your laundry here. First class work, Prompt Service. Mt. Sterling Laundry, E. High St. Phone 15.

McDougall Kitchen Cabinets save many steps. W. A. Sutton & Son.

Dry Cleaning—Gordon, Phone 343.

Your Room Warm? If not, better let me install a Gas Heater that will keep you cozy and comfortable. Splendid ranges, too, the kind that cook right. E. F. Gray.

Get the best—John Deere Wagons and Implements. Lyons Spring Seat Saddles, Leather Goods and Harness Repairing. J. R. Lyons, 20 S. Maysville street.

One-half saved on phonographs. Go to Pieper's.

Fordson Tractors—Place your order now for early spring delivery. Prices Guaranteed to June 1st. Strother Motors Co.

MR. FARMER—Will pay you highest market prices at all times for your Poultry, Eggs, Hides, Furs, Scrap Iron, Old Metals, Rubber, etc. Phone 645. E. T. Reis.

Dry Cleaning, Pressing, Repairing; W. P. Gordon. Tell the phone 343.

Good Furniture Cheap. J. W. Baber.

We carry a complete line of Automobile springs and accessories. Phone us when in need and we assure you prompt service. Dixie Automobile Co., Inc., H. A. Cobb, Mgr., 127 E. Short St., Lexington, Kentucky. 32-1f

AUTO FOR SALE—Saxon Runabout for sale cheap. Is in first class repair and can be bought worth the money. See me quick. H. H. Coppage, Phone 425.

W. P. Gordon—Reliable Dry-Cleaner.

The Howard House, Locust street. For 16 years, the leading House in the city. Well cooked meals served home style. Rates \$2.00 per day. Special Weekly rates.

S. M. JACKSON
Marble and Granite Monuments, Markers; All kinds of cemetery work. Let me give you estimates. Bank and Locust Streets.

Bring your exposed films to Land & Priest, Druggists, for printing and developing. Have them finished the "Nine Rah" way. Service prompt; work the best.

COST OF LIVING REDUCED—By trading with the Mt. Sterling Grocery Co. Our prices on fresh and cured meats are money savers.

Vacuum Cleaners that we sell you are guaranteed. Ask for a Free trial. W. A. Sutton & Son.

Window Shades—the best—at W. A. Sutton & Son.

Best for pies and cakes—"Capital Flour"—the kind the best cooks use.

Lost and Found

LOST—Gold watch and chain either on streets of city or Winchester, Camargo or Prewitt pike. Reward for return to this office.

LOST WATCH—Ladies wrist watch on streets of Mt. Sterling, was on small black ribbon. Finder return to this office and receive reward. Monogram on back of same M. M. G.

For Sale—Live Stock

FOR SALE—Fine three year old filly, sound and eligible to registry. For further particulars see Mrs. O. S. Bigstaff, phone 422. (34-2tpd)

FOR SALE—One Duroc Jersey Boar, weighing from 275 to 300 lbs. Cecil S. Greene, Phone 604 J-2 34-2t.

WANTED—A walking saddle gelding, 15 hands, 1,000 pounds. W. M. BEAN

ROOSTERS—Pure bred single comb Rhode Island roosters for sale quick. Telephone 349 W-2. Mrs. Charles T. Highland. (33-2t)

FOR SALE—One Nice Narragansett Gobbler. Mrs. F. D. Richardson, R. R. 6.

Situations Wanted

Looking for a better job? Then invest a few cents in these columns and tell about your good points.

For Sale—Farms

FARM FOR SALE—Forty acres, farm on Slate creek that has 10 acres of overflow land on it and will raise great crops. Good dwelling house, barn and silo at barn. Will sell cheap and can give immediate possession. See me quick. John F. Richardson.

If Col. S. M. Newmeyer will take this ad. to the Tabb Theatre tomorrow night he will be admitted free.

If Master John McCormick will cut this ad. out and take it to the box office of the Tabb Theatre he will be given a complimentary ticket for Wednesday's show.

FARM—Go to J. R. Lyons if you want to buy a good small farm. 32-1f.

Advertising brings results and if Carroll O'Rear will cut this ad. out and take it to the Tabb Theatre he will be given a complimentary ticket for Wednesday's show.

IDEAL COUNTRY HOME
146 ACRES—5 miles out on a good pike; 30 acres in wheat, the balance in Bluegrass and meadow, all the farm lays well; no waste land, plenty of water and good fencing, also a fine lot of fruit. Improvements are a beautiful 2-story modern residence, with a cellar and attic, located on high ground, with a large bluegrass lawn, extending to pike; 10-acre tobacco barn; 1 stock barn; tenant house; double garage and other out buildings too numerous to mention. All in first class shape. This farm is in a high state of cultivation and in an excellent neighborhood. Price \$225.00 per acre.
36 ACRES—2 miles out, strictly good land, brick residence and barn. Price \$15,000.00. Frazier & Jackson, 148 W. Short St., Lexington, Ky. (31-31)

Farm Products

Highest Market Price paid for Poultry, Eggs, Hides, Furs, Rubber, Brass, Copper, Iron and Rags. We also buy junk automobiles. Thos. Heinrich & Son, South Queen street, Phone 819.

Advertise your farms through the classified columns of the Advocate. A few cents invested in this way will prove a profitable investment.

Suits Pressed—Gordon, Phone 343

For Rent

WANTED—Having sold my farm and desiring to move to the city, I wish to rent a four or five room flat. S. P. Greenwade. 34-2t

FOR RENT—Five room cottage on Winn street, with sleeping porch, water and gas in house, good garden and stable. Apply to Miss Lucy Smith.

Store room on Court street, now occupied by Food Administrator. Will repair to suit renter and give possession at once. For further particulars, see H. R. Prewitt, Atty. 22-1f RICHARD REID ROGERS.

Chiropodist

Corns, Bunions, Inverted and Club Nails extracted and permanently cured. Ben Franklin, 105 W. Main St., Lexington, Ky. (34-12t)

Real Estate

FOR SALE—If sold at once, my residence on Locust street. A business proposition or a good home. L. G. HOWARD.

FOR SALE—Cottage with bath on Main St. Apply to Miss Mary Evans, Clay & Sycamore Sts. (34-1f)

SALES CONDUCTED ANYWHERE—Experience has made my business a success. Auctioneer John W. Bain, corner Short and Market, Lexington, Ky., phone 1109. I do not practice on your property at your expense. I get you more money than you expect. 31-1yr

List your real estate, both city and county, with us for sale. We CAN and WILL sell it for you. See our list of farm and city property.

Office on corner Bank and Locust streets, Phone 491. Call on us or call us to see you. We have listed with us a farm of 120 acres, well improved, on good pike; also farm of 247 acres, well improved on dirt road, that can be bought worth the money. Also 21 1/2 acres, a well improved place just outside the city limits on Levee pike; 210 acres well improved land near Kiddleville; 171 acres near Howards Mill. We have two good pieces of city property for sale, one a two story residence and the other a cottage.

CRAVENS & TURPIN

You can't rent anything, so you will have to buy. City property and Farms for Sale. Long time loans on farms through the Federal Land Bank, of Louisville, Ky., at 5 1/2 per cent interest. See the boy who put the "R" in Real Estate, the "S" in insurance, the "E" in Surety bonds, and the "O" in Loans. T. Foster Rogers, Real Estate, Insurance, Surety Bonds, Loans.

Wanted—To Buy

WANTED TO BUY—All kinds of household furniture. Will take in trade or pay cash for same. Phone orders to 820 and ask for C. M. Coyle, the upholsterer, Phone 848. 32-4t-pd

Good Mules Wanted. We also buy Cattle, Sheep, Hogs and Horses. Caywood & McClintock, both phones, Paris, Kentucky. 31-4t nd.

Help Wanted

WANTED—Everybody in the city and county to see "The Great Victory," coming to the Tabb Theatre soon. Metro's greatest picture.

WANTED—5 cooks, white or colored. Apply to the Howard House.

WANTED—Have a good job for a first class painter and would also employ a number one paper hanger. Men must be steady workmen. Have employment practically the year round for the right men. R. I. Settles, Mt. Sterling, Ky. (33-2t)

For Rent—Rooms

ROOMS FOR RENT—Hot and cold water, use of bath, 131 W. High Street, phone 204.

Have you a furnished room in your home that you wish to rent? If so, advertise it in these columns and you will soon find a tenant.

FURNISHED ROOMS—For rent, centrally located. Apply this office.

Foodstuffs

Glass Jar Canned Goods, Fresh Kale, Lettuce, Fish, Fleishman's Yeast, Muth's Bread. Sanitary Meat Co., Phone 421. R. D. Barnes, Proprietor.

Automobiles and Accessories

Central Kentucky Agents for Exide Batteries. Lexington Cadillac Co., Main and Spring Sts., Lexington, Ky. (34-4t)

GET A TAXI—Our cars are at your service any hour. We meet all trains, day or night. We also have a full line of Auto Accessories, Pennsylvania Vacuum Cup and Brunswick tires and tubes, Havoline Oil and Grease. Office N. E. Corner Bank & Locust Streets. J. D. Turpin & Son, Phone 491. 33-12t-pd

AUTOS FOR HIRE

Touring cars driven by licensed chauffeurs. Ragan-Gay Garage. 33t

FOR SALE

Right new Overland touring car. As we are not retaining the Overland agency, we will sell this fine car at a real bargain price. Ragan-Gay Motor Co.

Willard Storage Battery Service Station. Batteries tested and filled free. Make this your headquarters while in Lexington. Fayette Motor Co., 263 East Main street.

Old tires made like new. Auto tires and tubes, Rubber Boots and Hot Water Bottles vulcanized. Mt. Sterling Vulcanizing Co., 53 Bank Street.

Everybody seems to be enjoying the good shows at the Tabb Theatre and if Mrs. W. S. Smathers will take this ad. to the box office Wednesday she will be given a complimentary ticket.

Taxi, Sir?—Our taxis at your service day or night. Special prices on country trips. Gasoline, Oils and accessories. W. J. McCarthy, phone 251 or 754.

Commercial Auto Co., 245 E. Main St., Lexington, headquarters for Montgomery, Bath and Menifee Autoists. Stop in—we make you feel at home. Ford Service. Repairs and Accessories. 31-1yr

Place your order for a motorcycle now. Exclusive agents—Harley-Davidson and Excelsior Motorcycles. Motorcycle and Bicycle parts and accessories. Adams & Young, 233 E. Main St., Lexington, Ky. 31-1yr

RADIATORS—Any make or style auto, truck or tractor twisted, smashed, sprung or frozen, repaired. Estimates furnished. Work first-class. Auto Radiator Specialists, B. Green, Prop., Phone 1320Y, 223 E. Main St., Lexington, Ky. (31-1 yr)

Buy here for less—J. W. Baber.

Contracting—Building Material

M. R. HAINLINE—Can save you money if you anticipate having your house painted or papered. For Real Service, see Hainline.

We have been studying your wants for thirty years. We solicit special orders. If it's lumber, we have it. MCCORMICK LUMBER CO.

Who am I? I can't build you a house, but I can sell your house for you. Who am I? I am the Advocate classified ad and you can secure my services for 10c a line. Try me.

ROOFING AND REPAIRING—Let me figure with you on your roofing or tip work of any kind. Only skilled mechanics employed and all work done in first class manner. As E. Lawrence, Successor to T. H. Cannan.

STAR PLANING MILL CO., "The Old Reliable," is where you should go for Lumber if you are contemplating building. Phone 33.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

\$45 Davenport for \$30. J. W. Baber sells Furniture for Less. Try him.

HORACE H. MURPHY
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Chronic Diseases a Specialty
Palmer Graduate. Hours: 9 to 11, 1 to 5. 335-6-7 McClelland Bldg., Lexington, Ky. (31-1yr)

EGGS—I will incubate eggs for three cents each. Make your arrangements now. Mrs. Richard Wilson, phone 348-W-1, Maysville pike. 31-4t

If you want your work done right by experienced mechanics, take it to the Mt. Sterling Garage. "Home of the Buick Cars," where you always find real service.

Buy here for less—J. W. Baber.

"Capital Flour"—the flour the best cooks use. Try it next baking.

Prolong the Life

of your shoes by having them repaired at O'Connell's Shoe Laboratory, Maysville St., opposite Lloyd's Cafe. 33-4t

About the time a man thinks he can fight he gets whipped.

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The Advertised Article

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Phone: Office, 474 132

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—OF THE—

Kentucky Oil Exchange

(Incorporated)

Phoenix Hotel Lexington, Ky.

Open Call Sessions Daily, 4 P. M.

Last Bid Last Asked

Bankers	2.00	2.10
Barrick-Ky.		.50
Banner	.10	.18
Big Four		5.00
Big Six		40.00
Bonanza		.55
Blue Ridge		.25
Bourbon O. & D.	1.00	1.10
Colonial O. & D.	190.00	200.00
Comet	.50	.70
Co-operators		.75
Crown	.11	12 1/2
Day Oil		.85
Duquesne	.75	.80
Farmers		1.25
Flesher	1.50	1.75
Henry Clay		.20
High Gravity	.15	.16
Himyar	1.05	1.10
Hoffman		.50
20c Refund		.30
25c Refund		.35
30c Refund		.35
Ky. Colonels	.40	.42
Lex. Oil Corp.	1.20	1.30
Laurel O. & G.	550.00	650.00
Lincoln	.45	.50
Local O. & G.		2.75
Louisville O. & D.		.24
Majestic	.32	.33
McCombs	1.37 1/2	1.40
May Day	.50	.60
Mason-Dixon		.60
Monarch	.75	.85
Old Dominion	210.00	215.00
Pan-American		.45
Petroleum Exp.	25.00	30.00
Peerless	.90	1.50
Phoenix O. & P.	140.00	
Planet	.30	.40
Pyramid	3.25	3.50
Rex Oil	175.00	200.00
Snowden O. & G.		17.50
Security P. & R.		.35
Stanton	.90	1.00
Station Camp		1.15
Studebaker		.90
Sturgeon Creek		1.00
Superior		10.00
Traders		.75
Trinity	1.70	1.75
W. P. Williams	1.15	1.30
Wright	2.50	2.90

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INCOME TAX MAN COMING

Get ready for the Income Tax Man. He will arrive in Mt. Sterling on March 3rd, and will be located at the Post Office, where he can be consulted without charge.

"Bring in your figures, your problems, your doubts, and your questions," is his invitation contained in the announcement of his coming visit.

Collector of Internal Revenue Hamilton, is sending one of his Deputies solely to help people in this vicinity to determine their individual liability and to comply with the law's requirements as to 1918 incomes.

His office hours will be from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. each day, and he will remain in town until the close of business on March 15th.

"This free advisory service," writes Collector Hamilton, "is planned for those who are required for the first time to consider their liability and to make sworn returns."

"Many thousands who were not affected by the prior Federal laws taxing incomes must this year file returns. Here are the requirements:

"Every unmarried person who had a net income of \$1,000 or over during 1918; and every married person who, together with wife (or husband) and minor children, had a net income of \$2,000 in 1918."

"The advice and services of the Deputy Collector are entirely free, and he is authorized to administer the oath required on returns, free of charge. Persons who are taxable should make payment when filing their returns by attaching check or money-order."

"This tax is a war burden; it is a part of the price of victory, the greatest victory that the world has known. I believe the people of this district will meet it fully; and I am offering every facility of my office to aid them to determine their individual liability."

LOCAL BOY MAKES GOOD

Mr. Asa M. Samuels, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Samuels, of this city, has recently been discharged from the army and is now at home. Entering as a private some nine months ago, by strict attention to duty and by merit alone he worked himself up to the position of Battalion Sergeant and upon receiving his discharge was presented by the Colonel of his regiment (a West Point man), with a splendid testimonial to his ability and fidelity to duty, recommending, in the event of a renewal of hostilities that Sergeant Samuels be given a commission. This was a rare compliment worthily bestowed and we extend our congratulations and predict for him success in private life.

SHIRLEY J. HADDEN

DIES IN WINCHESTER

Mr. Shirley J. Hadden, aged 39 years, died at his home in Winchester Friday night of pneumonia, following influenza. He was a son of the late Marion B. Hadden and Mrs. Florence E. Green Hadden, of this county, and was one of the most popular and highly respected gentlemen that ever left Montgomery county. Since making his residence in Winchester, he had been very successful, and at the time of his death was city tax collector. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Leona Adams before marriage, and two sisters, Mrs. Asa Dooley, of Clark County and Mrs. W. W. Eubank, Sr., of this county. Funeral services were held in Winchester Sunday afternoon with burial in the Winchester cemetery. Deceased was a loyal member of the Masonic Lodge, which organization had charge of the burial. He was widely related and known in this county, and was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him, and the news of his death is deeply regretted.

PLEASE SIGN ARTICLES

Nearly every week we receive articles with a request to publish same, and they are usually signed, "A Subscriber." In most instances we throw the article in the waste basket, but occasionally one will slip through. We will appreciate it in the future if our friends will sign their name will not be published, it gives the paper an opportunity of stating its authority for any items that are contributed.

STAGGS WILL

The will of W. P. Staggs, deceased, has been admitted to probate by County Judge E. W. Senff, by the terms of which he disposes of an estate valued at about \$15,000, bequeathing it, under certain restrictions, to his widow for life, with remainder to his children and one grandchild. Mr. C. B. Patterson is named as Executor.

PRODUCED RESULTS

Last week, Mr. W. T. Fitzpatrick, Jr., inserted a ten-inch advertisement in the Advocate offering for sale four houses, and in less than 48 hours from the time it appeared he had sold two out of the four, and has had several inquiries regarding his other property. Does it pay to advertise?

STOCK AT SALE

There will be 78 head of fine ewes and 4 yearling Southdown bucks offered for sale at the sock and implement sale of Mr. J. T. McCormick, Tuesday, February 25th.

EVERYBODY LOOKING FOR FREE TICKETS

The Want Ad. Features of The Advocate Are Gaining in Popularity Every Day

Everybody is hunting for the free theatre invitations which are to be found scattered among the want ads. The readers of the Advocate have entered into the spirit of the feature from the very beginning and it is rapidly gaining in popularity. From every part of the county reports are received daily of the ever increasing interest and by no means is the interest limited to the young people. All over the city and county, men and women are looking through the

want ads every week to find out who gets the free tickets to the show at the Tabb Theatre. Not only are they finding theatre tickets but also many bargains among the want ads. The Advocate classified columns are the bargain center of this part of Kentucky. A few moments spent each week in reading these ads will put you next to scores of opportunities whereby dollars may be made. Get the habit today and become a regular reader and user of the Advocate classified columns.

GREENWADE FARM SALE

Mr. S. P. Greenwade sold his 49-acre farm just outside the city limits of Mt. Sterling, on the Hinkston pike for \$411.00 per acre to Mr. W. E. Jones. This is the highest priced land sold in this county except a few small tracts of five to ten acres which have sold for \$500. Mr. Greenwade also sold his farm near Peeled Oak for \$75 per acre to Mr. John F. Richardson and considering the improvements on same and character of part of this land, this place sold cheap. Col. John W. Bain, of Lexington, cried the sales and his ready wit and genial smile made him many friends on his first trip to our city. Mr. Bain also cried two sales for Mr. W. Hoffman Wood, the Real Estate Man, particulars of which sales appears elsewhere. Mr. Greenwade will move to this city to reside.

P. O. ROBBERS ARRESTED

George Ester and John Vischner, 17-year-old boys of St. Louis, Mo., were arrested by Post Office and Railway detectives and brought to this city last Thursday, charged with robbing the Post Office at Thomson Station on the night of February 7th. They secured only 68 cents in money, but obtained 200 blank money orders and 100 railroad tickets. The boys were arrested in Lexington and at first denied any knowledge of the crime, but after being brought to Thomson, admitted their guilt. They were lodged in the local county jail and their examining trial set for today.

SOCIAL SESSION

Mt. Sterling Lodge No. 723 B. P. O. Elks, will have a social session for its members Thursday evening next at 8:30 o'clock. As this order never does things by halves, a royal good time will be had by those in attendance.

LODGE MEETING

Special Meeting of Alma Lodge, F. and A. M., Camargo, Ky., will be held next Saturday, February 22, at 10 a. m. All members are requested to be present.

WILL BUILD RESIDENCE

Mr. W. T. Fitzpatrick will build a modern residence on his lot on West High street. Mr. Ed L. William is now preparing plans and specifications for same and as soon as the weather will permit Mr. Fitzpatrick will start the construction.

Ed Johnson, son of M. P. Johnson, of this county, enlisted in the United States Navy at Lexington last week. Young Johnson has been anxious to enter for some time, but has been refused on account of his age. He is 18 years old.

JEWELRY

50 Cents on the Dollar
Saved by buying jewelry from
JOE ROSENBERG
Established 1896. Bargains in Elgin and Waltham watches, etc., 141 Water street. Just around the corner from Upper, Lexington, Ky. 34-yr.

REAL ESTATE DEALS

Mr. Joe Henry bought the Rufus Hadden place at the edge of the city limits yesterday, comprising about 21 acres at a price around \$500 per acre. W. Hoffman Wood, the Real Estate Man, had charge of the property.

The William Campbell place sold at public auction yesterday for \$133.00 per acre. The sale was cried by Col. John W. Bain, of Lexington, and the sale was in charge of Mr. W. Hoffman Wood. C. H. McEmore, of Woodford county was the purchaser. Mr. Wood also sold for Jas. C. Peters a cottage on Winn street to R. S. Treadway, of this city, price around \$2,700.00.

GOOD OPPORTUNITY

The Chatham Lalley Light Co., of Harrodsburg has an advertisement of the Lalley Farm Light and Power Plant in today's issue. There is a growing demand for electric light and power on the farm and thousands of Lalley plants are in use all over the country. There is nothing that betters conditions in the country and makes the home more attractive than bright and clean electric light. There is an opportunity for some live, energetic individual or business firm to secure the agency for this machine in this territory.

MRS. J. M. BARNES' SISTER BURNED TO DEATH

Mrs. Mabel Frank, a sister of Mrs. John M. Barnes, of this city, was fatally burned while visiting her mother, Mrs. Charles Barnett, at Taylorsville last week. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and daughter, Miss Louise, attended the funeral which was held at the late home of Mrs. Frank in Paris Sunday. The many friends of Mrs. Barnes extend to her deep sympathy.

RETURNS FROM "OVER THERE"

Sergeant W. D. Willoughby, a member of the A. E. F., has recently been discharged from the army and has returned to his home in this city. He will engage in farming with his brother Ed. Willoughby, for the year.

SELLS NICE HOUSES

Mr. W. T. Fitzpatrick last week sold his bungalow on Samuels ave., to Capt. J. H. Stephenson at \$4500. Mr. Fitzpatrick also sold to Judge G. B. Swango his bungalow on High Street for \$6,800.00, the latter sale through T. Foster Rogers, the Real Estate Man.

"MIT" WEEDON ENLISTS

Milton Anderson Weedon, of Preston, Bath county, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Weedon, formerly of this city, enlisted in the U. S. Navy at Lexington Saturday and will be sent to Louisville for further examination today.

BROUGHT HERE FOR BURIAL

The remains of W. E. Keller, who died at Manchino, Ill., were brought here Sunday. Burial took place Monday in the Mt. Sterling Cemetery.

POPULAR COUPLE MARRY

Mr. Roger Stephens and Miss Helen Porter were united in marriage Wednesday, at the residence of the Rev. Clyde Darsie, immediately after which the couple left for a short bridal trip and were accompanied as far as Lexington by Miss Eula Fitch and Mr. Leonard McNamara. The groom is a son of C. B. Stephens and the junior member of the popular grocery firm of C. B. Stephens & Son, and is a worthy and energetic young man with a host of friends. His bride is a daughter of Mr. Horace Porter, and for the past few months has been connected with Land & Priest's. She is a young lady of pleasing personality and has endeared herself to countless friends. The Advocate joins the legion of admiring friends of this deservedly popular young couple in extending heartiest congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy married life.

A NICE SCHOOL PROGRAM

A specially prepared program was given by the pupils of the Mt. Sterling city school Friday morning in honor of Lincoln's birthday, at the high school chapel.

The Rev. Clyde Darsie gave an interesting talk, paying a high tribute to "the great emancipator." Miss Alice Cassity, teacher of English, read Lincoln's Gettysburg address. Several musical selections were rendered by the students led by the high school orchestra. A number of visitors were present.

SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

The name of Thomas A. Robinson, of this city, was published in the casualty list last week, as having been slightly wounded some time ago. He has recovered, however, and is now with the Army of Occupation in Germany.

COMING HOME THIS WEEK

Major and Mrs. Lloyd Frazer landed in New York Sunday from England, where Major Frazer has been stationed for some time past. Major Frazer holds the highest rank conferred upon any Mt. Sterling man since the war with Germany. He and his wife are expected home the latter part of the week for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Frazer.

OIL WELL SHOT

The oil well on the Apperson land here was shot last week and those in charge seem well pleased with the results. As yet it is not known just what amount of oil the well will produce as it has not been pumped. Many friends of Mr. Apperson hope it will prove to be a good one.

The Advocate for printing.

DIES AT WINCHESTER

W. P. Heatt, one of the most prominent citizens of Winchester, died very suddenly at his place of business, from heart disease, on the 11th, inst. Mr. Heatt was a native of Shelby county and was about 65 years old. His wife was a daughter of W. D. Strode, who was closely related to the Hunt family, of this city. Mr. Heatt had been Clerk of the Boone's Creek Baptist Association, of which the local Church is a member, for twelve years and that body promoted him to the highest honor within its power, Moderator of the Association, September 11, 1918.

HENRY MORGAN DEAD

Mr. Henry Morgan died Saturday at the home of his brother-in-law, James Scott, who lives in Clark county. The body was taken to North Middletown for burial Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, services at the grave. Mr. Morgan was a former citizen of this city, and was a splendid gentleman with a host of friends who were grieved to learn of his death.

NEW ASSISTANT TEACHER

Miss Anna B. Pinney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Pinney has been appointed by the school board as assistant teacher of the third grade. Miss Flo Shirley is the regular teacher for the third grade but on account of the over flow an assistant was needed.

Read the Advocate; get it first.

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PUBLIC SALE OF FINE TOCACCO LAND

Saturday, February 22, 1919, at 2 O'clock

As agents for one of the heirs of the late Amos Turney, we will sell on the above date on the premises on the Paris and Maysville pike, one and one-half miles from the city limits of Paris, Ky., 141 acres of old heavy Bluegrass sod land.

No tobacco or hemp was ever grown on this land and not a foot of it has been plowed in 25 years. It lays well, is well watered and fenced and has five-room tenant house.

The farm will be sold in two tracts of about equal parts, both of which face on the Maysville pike and each with beautiful building sites. The farm will then be sold as a whole and the highest bid accepted. The undersigned will take pleasure in showing prospective buyers over this farm.

TERMS—Made known on day of sale.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE HANDSOME RESIDENCE PROPERTY of the late SAMUEL BIGSTAFF

Saturday, March 1st.

At 1.30 O'clock at Court House Door
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The property is situated on North Sycamore street. The house is built of pressed brick and best shingles, dipped in oil, with hardwood exterior finish. Good cellar under whole house, with furnace and laundry. Reception hall, library, dining room and kitchen and pantries on first floor, with four rooms on second and one furnished room on third floor. Has bath room and all modern conveniences. Hardwood floors and hardware made especially for the house. Combined stable, garage, corner, etc.

Sold on 6 and 12 months.

POSSESSION GIVEN BY MARCH 10th

Those desiring to inspect property or for further information, call on R. G. Kern, or W. B. White, Attorneys.
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FRED McCORMICK NEW LUMBER DEALERS' PRESIDENT

Mr. S. Fred McCormick, of Lexington, brother of Judge G. Allen McCormick, of this county, was elected president of the Kentucky Retail Dealers' Association at the closing session of the annual convention in Louisville last week. Mr. McCormick has been first vice president during the past year. Lexington was chosen for the 1920 convention, which will be held either in January or February. Many friends here will be pleased to learn of the honor conferred upon our former citizen.

"JUST GOT HERE"

The story is told of the great fight at Chateau Thierry, when the French were holding the right and the British the left, and the Germans had broken through just where the two arms joined, and the order had been given to retreat. In the meantime the American brigade was ordered up to stop the gap, and as they came up, right in the opening they met the French streaming back on the right, with tears in their eyes, saying,

"The war is over, it is all lost," and on the left were the British, doggedly retreating and fighting at every step, being killed. And those American boys, like a trained football team, drove through the opening. They took their stand, and the colonel of one regiment was approached by a high officer of the French army, who said, "Sir, don't you know the order to retreat has been given? You will be ruined, and your men will be annihilated if you don't retreat. Go back and retreat." And the American colonel said, "Oh, hell, I just got here."

That was the spirit.

Still blessings come surprising—they strike you everywhere; just watchin' cotton risin' makes you read your titles clear! But still you'll read 'em clearer from every hill and plain, with herds of lowing cattle and fields of golden grain.

When Gabriel blows him trumpet many will rise up and declare that they never did like loud music no how.

TIME EXTENDED

That there will be no general extension of time beyond March 15th, for the filing of returns and for the payment of Income and Excess Profits taxes due on that date, is the decision of Daniel C. Roper, Commissioner of Internal Revenue. The announcement was made today by collector Hamilton, immediately following the approval by the Senate and House of the report of the conferees on the new Revenue Bill.

"It is necessary to get the initial taxpayers in by March 15th," says Commissioner Roper. "No other course is possible. Some months ago the Treasury issued certificates of indebtedness to an amount approximating \$800,000,000, maturing March 15th. The first payment of the Income and Excess Profits taxes for 1918 was planned for that date, to meet this huge obligation.

"The American people have proven that there is no emergency too great to be met and solved by co-operation. This present situation is another emergency which can be overcome by co-operative effort. The Bureau extends its every force toward this end, and I am relying upon the people to meet the situation whole-heartedly.

"The Internal Revenue Bureau must carry out the program prescribed in the new law, which requires all returns for 1918 to be filed on or before March 15, 1919, and requires the first quarterly payment or the entire payment to be made on or before that date.

"Very taxpayer who can do so is urged to make full payment of his income tax on or before March 15. The quarterly payment method is intended for taxpayers whose financing of the tax at one time would tend to upset local conditions.

"The Approval of the report of the conferees by the Senate and House of Representatives brings the new Revenue Bill to the point where it may be assumed to be a law. The Internal Revenue Bureau has been making preparations to collect the taxes which it provides, and is now putting all of its efforts into aiding the taxpayers to fulfill the obligations imposed.

"The Bureau has arranged to send an advisory force of several thousands of deputies and agents to assist taxpayers. These officers will be stationed at convenient points where they may be consulted without charge. Taxpayers should take the initiative and get in touch with these Revenue men for any needed advice and assistance in preparing returns.

"The forms for the tax returns are being printed and all forms will be in the hands of collectors between February 15th and March 1st."

POOR FELLOW

As an evidence of how closely some people read the papers, a republican at one of the tobacco warehouses in Cynthiana, Monday, offered to bet \$5 that Theodore Roosevelt would be the next President.

SPEAKING OF KINGS

Big and little some fifteen or twenty rulers by divine right, from absolute monarchs all the way down the line to grand dukes, have been kicked off their thrones during the last two years.

It has been a period of extreme uneasiness for the heads that wore the crown.

And the end is not yet.

For the peoples of a great portion of Europe, heretofore under the hand of autocracy, have tasted of the sweets of liberty.

On most of them it has had much the same effect as the Mexican loco weed has upon the longhorned steers of the Sonora plains.

It has stamped the whole outfit. Set them milling around in circles. Running amuck as it were and going each other right and left without discrimination or regard for past associations. Fired them with the blood lust.

And out of it all must come eventually a greater respect in the heart of kings for the rights of their subjects. A wiping out of absolute monarchy and the oppressions and extortions that have stood second in the list of divine rights.

Incidentally a boom for the form of government planned and so ably executed under the direction of Uncle Sam.

It may be some little while delayed, but one of these days sooner or later kingdoms and principalities and monarchies are going to be tossed finally and completely into the discard.

Folks are going to rule themselves. Governments are going to be representative. Might isn't going to keep on forever being right.

Uncle Sam is largely responsible for this. It has cost us something like \$20,000,000,000 to teach the world its lesson. It will cost us another eight or ten billion to complete. But to the world, to us, to humanity in general, it is a bargain.

For it was a freeman who said "Give me liberty or give me death."

Every free man echoes that sentiment today.

Let every free man support it with his dollars in the coming Victory-Liberty Loan.

Don't fool with Satan, unless you're a good hand at fighting fire, and even then you are likely to play a losing game. Best thing to do is to keep ten miles ahead of Satan—if you can!

Public Sale

I will sell to the highest bidder at my residence on Lexington avenue

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1919

AT 1:30 P. M.

the following personal property:

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| 1 Good Gentle Buggy Mare | 1 Ladies Saddle and Bridle |
| 1 Buggy; 1 one-horse Carriage | 1 Boys Saddle and Bridle |
| 2 Sets Buggy Harness | 1 Chiffonier; 1 Cherry Sideboard |
| 1 Wheelbarrow; 1 Cutting Box | 1 good Leather Couch; 1 Bookcase |
| 1 Bee Hive; 2 Lard Kettles | 1 Sewing table; 2 Kitchen Saws |
| 1 No. 1 Oak Torment Churn | 1 Small Drop-leaf Table |
| 2 Pitchforks; 1 Shovel | 1 Bed, Dresser and Washstand |
| 3 Vinegar Barrels; 1 Cultivator | 1 Oak Dresser and Washstand |
| 1 one-horse Break Plow | 1 Mahogany Folding Bed and Washstand; 1 Cherry Wardrobe |
| 1 Double Shovel Plow | Many other articles too numerous to mention. |
| 1 Single Shovel Plow | |
| 1 Breech-loading Shot gun | |
| 1 Gents Saddle and Bridle | |

TERMS:—CASH.

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don't always go—To the stronger or faster man,—But sooner or later the man who wins—Is the fellow who thinks he can.

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Having sold my farm I will offer for sale at Public Auction at the home place about two and one-half miles from Mt. Sterling on the Spencer pike, on

Tuesday, February 25

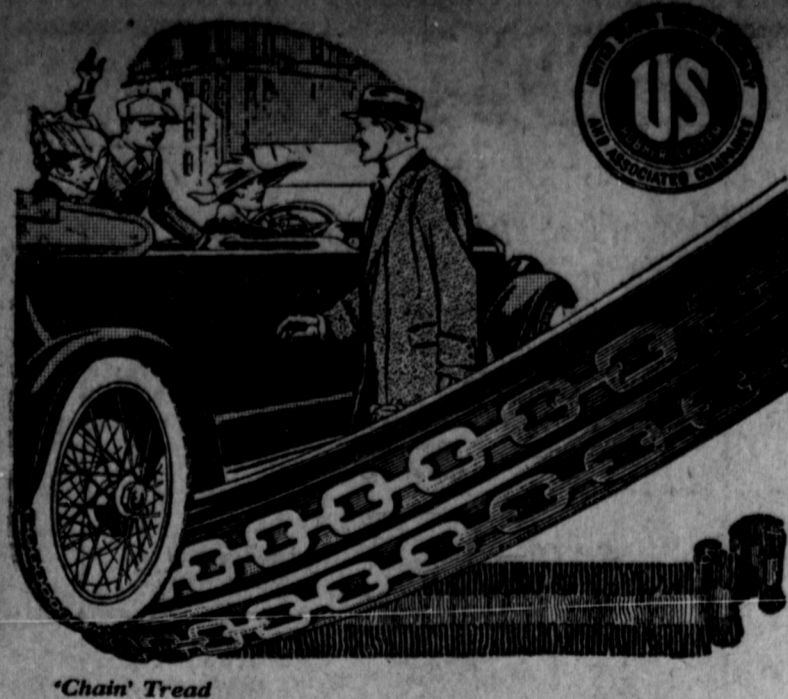
at 10 o'clock a. m., the following personal property:

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| 1 6-Year-old Work Mare, good driver | 25 Barrels Extra Good White Corn |
| 2 Sows and 17 Shoats | About 10 Tons Loose Hay |
| 1 Two-horse Wagon | 1 Iron Safe |
| 2 Grass Seed Strippers and Harness | 1 Scraper |
| 1 Self-rake Grass Seed Stripper | 2 Rolls Wire Fencing |
| 2 Buggies and Harness | Lot of Smooth Wire |
| 2 Mowing Machines | 1 Feed Wagon |
| 1 Hay Rake | 1 5-Tooth Cultivator |
| 2 Turning Plows | 1 Garden Plow |
| 1 Wheat Drill | 2 Bed Room Suites |
| 1 Sub-soil Plow | 1 Sideboard |
| 1 Clover Drill | 1 Hall Rack |
| 1 Fruit Tree Sprayer | 2 Heating Stoves |
| 1 Disc Harrow | 3 Rocking Chairs |
| 1 60-Tooth Harrow | 1 Dresser |
| 1 McCormick Binder, new | Carpets and Matings |
| Some Good Locust Posts | Other articles too numerous to mention |

TERMS—Announced on day of sale.

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REBUILDING THE WORLD

In more ways than one the old world is in the process of reconstruction. It is going on materially, ideally and governmentally.

And it begins to look like the job will be done thoroughly.

The peace conference will take care of the idealistic phase. Already it is establishing a new and revolutionary viewpoint. Inevitably it will fix radically changed and helpful standards. Will revise world ideas in many ways.

In Russia, Germany, and the Balkans, the governmental problem is predominant. So far it is a hopeless tangle of conflicting ambitions and interests. And until the people come out of the intoxication of their new found freedom this condition will continue. But eventually sanity will prevail. Law and order will right themselves and government along new and better lines will come.

America's most direct activity will necessarily develop in the actual physical rebuilding of the devastated territories of Belgium and in no other country has production along these lines been so little interrupted by the war. No other country has

ready to hand such surplus of building equipment.

All of this means continued American industrial activity, continued American prosperity. All of it emphasizes the necessity still for financing both peace and prosperity just as we financed the war.

And peace must be financed.

Our mercantile marine program must be carried out. Our industries, diverted for the war period to munitions making, must not be permitted to lose out through cancelled contracts. Our preparations for the corraling of the foreign trade must not be hampered. We must support them all.

This means mutual prosperity for all.

And the coming Victory-Liberty Loan will take care of all this along with many other of the government obligations.

It is all a part of the plan to finish this war situation in the right way. And all of us want this done.

All of us must help do it—which means that all of us must buy more bonds this spring.

Most of us devote too much time to running the Government.

LOANS, NOT GIFTS

The people must not blame the Europeans entirely for that absurd proposal to pool the war debts of the Nations who fought against the Central Powers side by side—and some neutrals as the expanded plan seems to indicate—but they should remember that Mr. George W. Wickersham, formerly Attorney General of the United States, and some other enthusiasts not so well known, have more than once put forward the notion that the debts of France and Belgium be wiped out. In other words, the United States has been asked in a most foolish way by certain of its citizens to cancel certain billions of debts owed by European Powers on account of the war.

The current issue of Collier's Weekly contains a warning from its Editor, Mr. Mark Sullivan, now in Paris, which it would be well for all men to read. Mr. Wickersham, in his outburst of generosity suggested that the cancellation of the loans made France and Belgium particularly, should be performed in so delicate a manner as not to humiliate those allies of ours. Mr. Sullivan frankly suggests that the American people are entirely unaware of the extent of the humiliation those Nations can assimilate. He gives us a very clear idea of France's attitude; and, as almost any person of intelligence would, points that we are in nowise liable for so munificent a gift to anybody.

The Times observes with much gratification that the American delegation at Paris does not favor the pooling of debts, and it is scarcely possible that Congress, the peace delegates or anybody else will favor the cancellation of the loans made during the war. There was no request for a gift, there was no talk of a gift by the United States Government when the loans were made; and there should be no talk of cancellation now. It is quite apparent that France would accept cancellation in a hurry, to say nothing of the fact that she would have us go far beyond this and undertake to pay some enormous share of the cost of the war—if not, indeed, the whole cost.

There is not and there should not be any disposition in this country to push our allies or to pester them about the great loans already made. Moreover, the people recognize the fact that they must make still more loans to stricken lands after peace eventually has been signed. But they will want such loans made upon a strict business basis, with no false sentimentality springing up to poison the ideal and tarnish the financial favor done. While America wishes not to boast of her performances in the war, the time has come to call a halt to the tendency so to deprecate our efforts as to make it appear that we now must assume great financial burdens in order to justify our existence.

M. Alexandre Ribot, formerly Premier of France, has the plan that reaches farthest into our National purse. He would have the United States share the cost of the war from 1914, on the basis of National resources, man power destroyed and devastation suffered. This would make our share about the sum of our National wealth if M. Ribot were permitted to figure out the sum, but no Frenchman seems to combat his ideas. Therefore, it would be as well if somebody in official America could set this venerable gentleman right. His dreams are carrying him too far.—Louisville Times.

Sometimes a man establishes his reputation as a good Fellow without letting his family hear anything about it.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

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Here is one thing that all should learn: Some people are smarter than others. Of course, we are all conceited, and dislike to admit it, but it is an important truth. A man who is not very intelligent can be successful in life if he will learn from others; if he will not blindly insist that his way is the best. The trouble is, a fool usually insists on doing everything the wrong way, although smarter men are plentiful to teach him by example. Your greatest need is willingness to learn.

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A lot of married men appreciate their better halves so much that they have to spend four hours in a cafe every night telling the gang what good wives they have at home.

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Some of the New York papers complained loudly that prohibition was being forced upon New York and the big states by the smaller States. When it came New York's time to have prohibition forced on her, the great old State opened her mouth with a broad grin, smacked her lips and said: "More!" It was as easy as forcing candy on a baby.

PUBLIC SALE

I will offer for sale on the Riggs farm, located six miles from Mt. Sterling and two miles south of Grassy Lick on the Grassy Lick and Fox pike on

Friday, February 21

beginning promptly at 10 o'clock the following personal property.

1 Grade Cow, 8 years old with calf by side
1 Grade Cow, 8 years old, due to calve by day of sale.

1 Grade Cow, 5 years old, calf by side
1 Grade Cow 5 years old, calf by side
1 Grade Cow, 3 years old

1 Jersey Cow, 3 years old, calf by side
1 yearling Hereford Bull

1 Bay Driving Horse that is also good work horse.

1 Pair of Mare Mules, 5 years old, good workers and gentle.

1 Yearling Mare Mule

1 Poland China Sow, and 10 Pigs

2 Good Brood Sows

1 Male Hog
2 Nice Gilts

1 Studebaker Wagon, good as new

1 Steel-tire Buggy

1 Side Saddle

1 Hog Box

Meat of Two Hogs, Four Jowls

1 Majestic Range and Utensils

1 Dining Table

Four King make Chairs

1 Lot Cupboard Ware

1 Lot Stone Ware

1 Lot of Household Goods and many other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS CASH.

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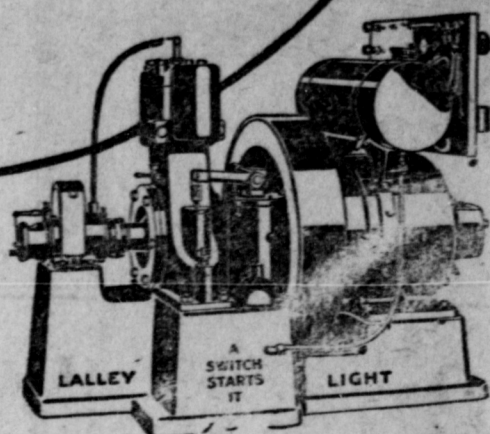
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15-YEAR-OLD BOY TRIED TO WRECK TRAIN, CHARGE

Charged with attempting to wreck a Chesapeake and Ohio train near Fox Station, Clark county, Charles Mitchell, who claimed to be 15 years old, and a native of Levee, Montgomery county, was held to the Clark county Grand Jury in Winchester, Saturday, by Judge Lee Evans in Juvenile Court. Claude Smith, C. & O. detective, testified that the boy placed a piece of iron between the rails and admitted that he was trying to wreck a train. A possible accident was averted by the passing of a heavy freight train, when as the obstruction was on an up grade, passed over it without damage. Detective Smith summoned

the boy to the Clark County Juvenile court where his father gave bond for his appearance before the grand jury.

GOES TO WASHINGTON

Miss Nelle Whaley, who has been teaching at Hamilton College at Lexington for a number of years, has resigned her position and accepted a position with the government with headquarters at Washington, D. C. Miss Whaley will be with the War Risk Insurance department, and being an exceptionally bright woman, will make the government a most competent employee. She is well known here, having often visited her sister, Mrs. W. Hoffman Wood.

The Advocate for Printing.

NATION IS BEGINNING FINANCIAL RECOVERY

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD FINDS
READJUSTMENT COMING AFTER
ABNORMAL WAR CONDITIONS

Washington.—Definite evidences of the beginning of financial recuperation following abnormal war conditions are set forth by the Federal Reserve Board in a review of the February reserve bulletin. These evidences are: Increase of bank balances at financial centers, a tendency toward lower rates for money, lessening of the amount of paper held by Federal Reserve and Member Banks, inflow of gold coin and gold certificates at banks, indicating greater confidence in the financial situation, and lessened demand for money, and decline in the volume of Federal Reserve notes outstanding, demonstrating the elasticity of the Federal Reserve system.

The board deplored evidences of the relaxation of wartime economies, saying that the industries of the United States and other countries would soon need quantities of capital, and that it behooved Americans to continue to be thrifty and pile up reserves of credit.

"The return of active production and consumption is being retarded," the board observed, "by high expenses of production."

WILL SERVE DINNER

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. will serve dinner Wednesday and Thursday of this week in the building formerly occupied by Ringo's Cafe. The menu follows:

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 19th
Ham, Creamed Turnips
Escalloped Potatoes, Slaw
Corn Muffins Hot Rolls
Pie, Coffee
THURSDAY, FEB. 20th
Roast Chicken, Gravy and Eggs
Spaghetti, Potato Salad
Escalloped Tomatoes, Hot Biscuit
Ginger Cake and Sauce
Coffee

Notice!

All persons having claims against Mrs. Hattie Moberley, deceased, will present the same, properly proven, before March 1, 1919, to H. R. Prewitt, Attorney.
32-4t. J. C. GRAVES, Adm.

The Advocate for printing.

THE WORLD'S OPINION

Nations are not unlike individuals. They must of necessity attain and hold the good opinion of their fellows. They must stand well before the world.

Right now America's standing is ace high.

Let us help to keep it so.

America went into this world war more than anything else to retain her position before the world. To maintain her honor among the nations of earth.

Germany had outraged it, had scoffed at it, had put upon Uncle Sam every sort of humiliation. Had dubbed us a nation of cowardly money chasers.

Finally as a last straw she began making war upon innocent women and children. Sinking our vessels without warning, drowning Americans wholesale.

And the world had more or less begun to think as Germany did.

All this has been changed, swiftly, effectively, finally.

Today the whole world takes its hat off to America.

To our aggressiveness, our enterprise, our dash and courage and gallantry, our sheer fighting strength and ability.

It will be many a day before a foreign nation again attempts to tread upon the tail of our coat.

They know!

And having won the world's good opinion, let's hold it.

Uncle Sam has extensive financial and moral obligations to meet. Obligations both at home and abroad. Obligations that are imperative, vital, crucial.

Obligations that, strange as it may seem, are largely to be met with cold cash. Bills that must be paid; loans that must be made in the final rescue and restoration of Europe.

As you and I and the millions of

others, citizens of this republic, are in truth America in the flesh, this is our obligation.

Just as it was our fight.

Let's meet it in the same spirit we met the Hun.

Let's take all of this Victory-Liberty Loan.

SOCIAL MEETING

The French class and music department of the Woman's History Club will entertain with a brilliant social affair at the club rooms, Feb.

28. The guests of honor will be Monsieur Georges Vigneti, the noted French violinist and Madame Vigneti; Major Lloyd Frazer, who is returning from London, England, and his bride, who before her marriage,

was the beautiful Miss Wiseman, of Danville; Miss Olive Smith, of Toronto; Monsieur Paul Raucher, who has been sent to this country by the French Government, and is attending Georgetown College, and Mr. Bergier Maximus Beausaug, of the Lexington College of Music. About two hundred invitations have been issued, and a beautiful musical program will be given.

READ—

Commissioner's Sale of Sam Bigstaff's residence on Sycamore St., 1:30 o'clock, Saturday March 1st, possession by March 10th. See R. G. Kern if you wish to inspect house.

The Advocate for printing

PUBLIC SALE

Of Stock, Implements, etc.

Having sold my farm, I will sell at Public Auction on the premises 1/2 mile from Mt. Sterling, on the Hinkston pike, on

Saturday, March 1,
9:30 A. M.

1 Pair of Percheron Mares, 5 and 6 years-old, good ones
1 Iron Gray Gelding, 6-year-old, none better
1 Black Gelding, 7-year-old, good one
1 Brown Brood Mare (Callie Onward) dam of Onward Forbes 2:09
1 Bay Gelding, 6-year-old, out of Callie Onward, gentle for family
1 Jersey Cow, best butter cow in Kentucky
1 Jersey Heifer, 2-year-old, good one
1 Jersey Heifer, 1-year-old
2 Herd Boars, pure Duroc Jerseys, by Imperator
1 New Two-horse Wagon, good one
1 Two-horse Wagon
2 Spring Wagons, good ones
1 Runabout, a good one
1 Pony Phaeton, new, and Harness
1 New Heavy Set Wagon Harness, none better
1 Heavy Set Wagon Harness
1 Set Hip Harness
3 Sets Spring Wagon Harness
1 Pair Lines
Bridles, Halters and Collars
1 Hay Frame; 1 Wagon Bed
1 Rock Bed; 1 Feed Sled
1 Large Bed Hauling Silage
2 Cutting Harrows
1 Double A Harrow, good one
1 60-Tooth Harrow
2 Drags, 1 large one
4 Turning Plows
1 Ideal Mower, 7 ft. cut
1 Hay Rake
1 One-horse B. F. Avery New Corn Drill with fertilizer attachment
2 Double Shovel Plows
2 Single Shovel Plows
1 5-Tooth Cultivator
1 14-Tooth Cultivator, for strawberries and tobacco
1 14-horse Power Hagan Gasoline

Engine, good one
1 McCormick Husker and Shredder, good running order
1 Kalamazoo Silage Cutter, good running order
1 Grist Mill, French Burrs
1 Scientific Crusher
1 Corn Sheller, hand or power
Lot of Shafting, Pulleys and Belting for same
1 Potato Plow, new one, good
1 New Meyers Potato and Orchard Sprayer
1 Garden Plow; 1 big Cannon Stove
1 Automobile Delivery Body, a good one
1 Double Meat Refrigerator
1 Ironage Garden Drill and fertilizer attachment, new
2 Feed Troughs for cattle
4 Hog Troughs
2 Double and one Single Hog House
1 Hog Self Feeder, 10 feet long, for 100 hogs
1 Medium Size Money Safe
1 Pair Howe Floor Scales, 2000 lb.
3 Chest Carpenter Tools
Lot of Blacksmith Tools
1 Work Bench and Vise, good one
1 Incubator, 240-egg, Successful, a good one
1 Incubator, 400-egg, Model
1 Brooder, Successful, 300 chicken
1 Refrigerator, 6 ft. x 15 ft., by 3 ft., use in cooling lamb, etc.
1 Ice Box
1 Set Wire Fence Stretchers
1 60-Gallon Iron Kettle
1 40-Horse Automobile, Buick
15 Feet Bed Sash, 3x6 ft.
3 Tobacco Bed Canvas, 150 and 175 feet by 15 feet
30 Rod Wire Fencing
1 New 12-foot Gate, painted
Diggers, Picks, Shovels, Forks, Etc.
Lot of Locust Posts
2 Iron Wheel Barrows
Step Ladders, Extension Ladders,

1 2-inch Force Pump
1 2-horse Iron Scraper
1 2-horse Bull Rake
8 Water Barrels
10 Barn Doors with Hinges
10,000 Tobacco Sticks, sharpened
Double Trees, Single Trees, Stretchers, Etc.
40 Barrels Corn in crib
2 Wagon Tarpaulins;
4 Horse Blankets
40 Bushels Nice Irish Potatoes
10 Bushels Multiplier Onion Sets
4 Dozen Pure Bred Plymouth Rock Chickens, Thompson strain
PURE DUROC JERSEY SWINE
Mayfield Cassandra 197764—Fancy Col. Top, Forrest Pride
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1 Hampshire Pure Bred Brood Sow
10 100-lb. Shoats
10 Pigs, 40-lbs.
1 Majestic Range
32 Square Yards Linoleum
1 10-gallon pat. Fayway Churn
1 Iron Bed, Springs and Mattress
Some Kitchen Chairs; 1 Hat Rack
1 Jar Lard; 2 Shoulders
2 Foot Warmers for buggies
Some Canned Goods, Etc.
75 Foot Water Hose
Milk Crock, Glass Jars, Stone Jars
1 Drugget 9x12; 3 Screen Doors
1 4-Lamp Chandelier, extra nice one

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$20.00 and under cash in hand before articles are removed. All over that amount, credit of six months with bankable note bearing 6 per cent from date of sale. Burgoo and coffee. Everybody come. Big time.

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Some Crop Averages Monday and Tuesday

Hardwick & Alexander, 2965 lbs. \$52.39	McDonald & Curtis, 3290 lbs. 63.58
Ramsey & Willoughby, 3290 lbs. 66.74	Crockett & Robinson, 3600 lbs. 62.17
Thompson & Cline, 4630 lbs. 62.89	Byrd & Copher, 3085 lbs. 77.46
Pieratt & Son, 2040 lbs. 77.90	C. L. Cartmell, 1815 lbs. 60.87
Prewitt & Chandler, 1800 lbs. 77.66	Spratt & Spratt, 1685 lbs. 66.64
White & Eastin, 2290 lbs. 65.37	Hardwick & Foley, 3740 lbs. 51.56
Whitsett & Lykins, 2890 lbs. 67.83	John McVey, 1875 lbs. 66.25

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**MONTGOMERY SOLDIER
LOSES LEG IN ACTION**

Word has been received here that William McClure, formerly of Montgomery county, had been wounded so severely by machine gun fire on October 8, that it was necessary to amputate his leg. He has been in a hospital in France until recently, when he was brought to this country and is now in a military hospital in New York. Mr. McClure went into action October 6, and was wounded two days later. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McClure, formerly

lived near Camargo, but moved to Woodford county several months ago. He is a grandson of William Sledd and a nephew of Miss Georgia Sledd, school superintendent of this County.

NOTICE

We have passed examinations at the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment College, as required by law, for the testing of cream, and milk, and are, therefore, duly qualified and licensed to operate a cream buying station.

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**MILLWORKER TELLS
THE 1919 VERSION OF
BREAD UPON WATERS**

"THINK OF ME CLIPPING COUPONS," HE SAYS. "IT DOESN'T SEEM REAL"



AST thy bread upon the waters, for thou shalt find it after many days. Millions of Americans can today testify to the truth of this promise. They have learned that the principle is operative now as well as then.

Millions who never had a savings account have been induced by patriotism to save their pennies and their dollars. As a result they now own government securities and belong to the coupon clipping class. A start toward financial independence has almost miraculously come from something that all their lives they have

been throwing away. They have learned the possibilities of thrift and are better citizens.

A typical experience was told the other day by a day laborer in a Youngstown manufacturing plant. Here is his story practically in his own words:

"Up to two years' ago I didn't have and I never hoped to have a cent saved. With a wife and two kids and a little home to keep up

on a day it didn't look possible.

"That's what I told myself when they began talking about Liberty Bonds and Thrift Stamps. I am patriotic. I wanted to help win the war, but it seemed impossible to stretch our wages beyond the food and clothes and coal. The missus agreed with me but we kept thinking about it and talking about it and finally we began to figure. Well, it's a long story and I can't remember it all. It just seemed to happen. First I cut out the Sunday cigar and later the old pipe. Mother gave up a feather she wanted, forgot the movies and cut down on the food trimmings. The kids went barefoot a little longer.

"We plunged and bought a First Liberty Loan Bond and paid for it, \$2 a week. We didn't miss a week. I'll never forget the family jubilee when I brought home that beautiful \$50 bond. The youngsters jumped up and down and Ma and I were some proud.

"That was the beginning. The four of us had got the bug. We haven't missed an issue. We now own \$150 worth of those bonds and are paying on our fourth one.

"Think of me clipping coupons! It don't seem real. Of course, we have been in a terrible war, but if it has taught many people how to save as it has us, it has done a wonderful thing. We're going to keep right on and I hope there'll be more bonds and stamps. We sort of need something to force us to save even now and the thought that we are helping Uncle Sam helps push."

Old papers for sale. Apply to this office.

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How to Make Bright Tobacco

There is always room at the top and high prices for bright tobacco. This is the year to make a bright crop; to do this we must have early plants. One bag of our Tobacco Plant Food, sowed over a bed nine feet wide and 200 feet long, and raked in with a small hand rake, will give you strong, healthy plants two to three weeks sooner.

Two hundred pounds of our Gen Bright Leaf Tobacco Grower, drilled in or by the side of the row, will give your tobacco a start and make an early, fine, bright crop, and pay on any land.

The highest average crop sold on our floor this season was the crop of J. C. Gragg & McIntyre, who used our Gen Tobacco Fertilizer. This crop sold on our last sale at an average of \$83.55, including all grades.

We sell only the V. C. Fertilizers, made by the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, the largest manufacturers of Fertilizers in the world, men that I have known all my life and can vouch for.

Many people have tried this Fertilizer in this section and continue to use it. Last season Mike Thornton burnt and sowed a bed on the Clay farm without fertilizer; Robert Stivers and Waller Rodes prepared one, using our Fertilizer; both beds same size and sowed on the same day. They tell me they had plants from two to three weeks sooner, and furnished Thornton and others with plants. Beds should be rolled or tramped, possibly several times early in the season. Crops should be rotated. Tobacco cures brighter following corn than any other crop. Will ship direct to any parties wishing to use it.

SILAS SHELBURNE,
(Adv.) Lexington, Ky.

DIES IN CLARK

As we go to press we learn that Mr. Andy Hampton, aged 82 years, died at his home in Clark County, this morning of the infirmities incident to his advanced age. Deceased is survived by his wife and many other relatives. He was one of the richest men in Clark county, leaving an estate mostly in land in this and

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OF INTEREST TO OUR RELIGIOUS PEOPLE

These figures are taken from the Census Department at Washington, and are a preliminary showing of the religious census for 1916. The study of these figures are both instructive and interesting. The Government bulletin gives the following which shows the report of 1906 and 1916 and the increase percentage.

Baptists, 5,662,000, in 1916, and 7,236,000 in 1906, an increase of 28 percent.

Methodists, 5,749,000 in 1906 and 7,165,000 in 1916, increase of 24.8 per cent.

Presbyterians, 1,830,000 in 1906 and 2,257,000 in 1916, an increase of 23.3 per cent.

Disciples, 982,000 in 1906 and 1,231,000 in 1916, increase of 25.3 per cent.

Lutherans, 2,112,000 in 1906, and 2,463,000 in 1916, an increase of 12 per cent.

Episcopalians, 886,000 in 1906,

and 1,098,000 in 1916, increase of 24 per cent.

Congregationalists, 700,000 in 1906 and 790,000 in 1916, an increase of 12.8 per cent.

Romanists, 14,210,000 in 1906, and 15,742,000 in 1916, an increase of 10.8 per cent.

That the readers may have an idea of the memberships, the adherents, and the approximate population is added the additional figures:

Baptist has 7,236,000 members; 14,572,000 adherents, and population of 22,000,000.

Methodists have 7,165,000 members; 14,330,000 adherents, and a population of 22,000,000.

Presbyterians have 2,257,000 members; 4,514,000 adherents, and a population of 7,000,000.

Lutherans have 2,463,000 members, 4,926,000 adherents, and a population of 9,000,000.

Disciples have 1,231,000 members, 2,462,000 adherents, population of

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4,000,000.

Episcopalians have a membership of 1,098,000; and 2,196,000 adherents, a population of 3,000,000. Other Bodies have 4,849,000 members; 9,698,000 and a population of 15,742,000.

Romanists have membership of 15,742,000, no adherents and population of 15,742,000.

Some of the above represented bodies are not Evangelistic, and omitting 1,000,000 which is an approximate number of smaller bodies would leave 80,000,000 evangelistic as compared with 15,742,000 non-evangelists.

GOES TO WASHINGTON

Miss Bernice M. Holley has accepted a position as Clerk in the Bureau of War Risk Insurance, at Washington, D. C., at a salary of \$1,200 per year. Miss Holley left last week to take up her new work. She graduated from the County High School, this city, a few years ago, and later completed a course at Eastern State Normal, at Richmond, Ky., where she qualified herself to teach in the public schools of this county, which she has followed for the past year. Miss Holley is an exceedingly popular young lady, and has the best wishes of a large circle of friends for her success in the new line of work.

Old Mart Lowery says it is going to be mighty hard to make him believe that the war is over. He hasn't been able to tear his wife away from her knitting long enough to darn his socks, and he is practically wearing wristlets on his ankles.

Let's all quit nibblin' in on one another and wait for the big unprecedented season of Peace, Prosperity and Plenty.

Commissioner's Sale

MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT
Mary Katherine Laughlin, etc Pliffs.

vs.

Elizabeth Laughlin Canan, etc. Dfts.

Notice of Sale in Equity

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Montgomery Circuit Court, rendered at the January term 1919, thereof, in the above cause, the undersigned will, on

Saturday, March 8, 1919,

at one o'clock, p. m., or thereabout, proceed to offer for sale, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of 6 and 12 months, at the

Courthouse Door in Mt. Sterling, Ky. the property mentioned in the judgment, to-wit:

A lot of land in the City of Mt. Sterling, Montgomery County, Ky., on the east side of North Maysville street, fronting 25 feet on said street and running back to the line of Mrs. Sallie Rogers; bounded on the north by the Reuben Harper lot, now owned by Griggs; east by the lot of Mrs. Rogers; south by the lot of The Griggs Garage property, now owned by Mrs. Mary Ragan Gay and west by said street and being same lot conveyed to Kate Laughlin by Jas. H. Henry and wife by deed dated December 31, 1910, of record in the office of the Clerk of the Montgomery County Court, in Deed Book 65 at page 138.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a Replevin Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale, according to law.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. A lien will be retained on the land sold till all the purchase money is paid.

Bond payable to the undersigned.
W. E. JONES,
Master Commissioner Montgomery Circuit Court.

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Commissioner's Sale

—OF—
Handsome Residence Property of the
Late O. S. Bigstaff

MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT

Thos. J. Bigstaff, et al.
On Petition to Sell Real Estate, Etc.
Notice of Sale in Equity.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Montgomery Circuit Court, rendered at the January term, 1919, thereof, in the above cause, the undersigned will on the

1st Day of March, 1919,
at 1:30 o'clock, p. m., or thereabout (being Saturday afternoon), proceed to offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of six and twelve months, at the

Court House Door

in Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, the property mentioned in the judgment, to-wit:

That certain lot of land and improvements thereon, located on the East side of and adjacent to North Sycamore street in the City of Mt. Sterling, Montgomery County, Kentucky, bounded on the North by the property of T. H. Wilson (formerly Mary E. Bigstaff); on the East by the property of R. H. Winn, W. B. White and others; on the South by the property of J. G. Winn and wife and on the West by the aforesaid street, being the residence property of the late Sam Bigstaff.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a Replevin Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law.

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LAST NOTICE

There are quite a number of people who failed to pay their occupation tax, which was due January 1, 1919. Notice has been given before and this is positively the last warning. Come in and pay at once or the penalty will be added.

H. B. RINGO, City Clerk.

The Advocate for Printing.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm on the Lulbegrud pike, 2 miles West of Mt. Sterling, Ky., I will on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1919

sell to the highest bidder all of my personal property as follows:

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| 10 Yearling Cattle, good ones, weigh 700 pounds | 1 John Deere Checkrower, Corn Planter and Fertilizer Attachment, good one |
| 1 Pair of Half-Percheron Mares, full sisters, 6 and 7 years-old, perfectly gentle, work anywhere, in foal to Judy & Huls premium jacks | 1 Tobacco Setter, good as new |
| 1 Percheron Mare, 5-years-old | 1 Iron Roller, good one |
| 1 Pair 2-year-old Mules | 1 New Oliver Chilled Breaking Plow |
| 10 or 14 Head of No. 1 Jersey Cows, fresh and coming, fresh soon | 1 Two-horse Cultivator, good one |
| 2 Jersey Heifer Calves | 2 New 5-tooth Cultivators |
| 1 Jersey Bull Calf | 1 Bell City Cutting Box |
| 1 Jersey Bull, coming 2-year-old | 1 Two-horse Wagon and Bed |
| 3 Poland China Sows, will pig soon | 1 Two-horse Wagon and 2 Hay Frames |
| 7 Shoats, weigh 150 pounds | 1 Buggy, has never been used much |
| 15 Shoats, weigh 100 pounds | 1 Set of Buggy Harness |
| 8 Dozen Buff Orpington Hens, good ones | 1 Set of Wagon Harness |
| 4 Dozen White Leghorn Hens | 1 New Buckeye Churn |
| 1 Good Incubator, 120-egg | 1 Refrigerator |
| 1 Lot Galvanized Iron Chicken Coops | 2 Fourteen-barrel Galvanized Iron Tanks |
| 1 Russell Steam Traction Engine, 12-horse power, in good condition | 1 Page Wire Fence Stretcher |
| 1 Four-roller Husker and Shredder, in good order, shucked 125 barrels of corn with it the last day it run | 1 Iron Jack |
| 1 Corn King Manure Spreader | 50 Shocks Fodder in Field |
| 1 New John Deere Mowing Machine | 1 Lot of Cut Fodder in Barn |
| | 1 Lot of Rye in Barn |
| | 1 Lot of Baled Hay and Straw in barn |
| | 1 Lot of Corn in crib |
| | Some Household, Kitchen Furniture and many other things too numerous to mention. |

TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE

Sale Begins Promptly at 10 A. M.

WM. N. SCOBEE

WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer

PUBLIC SALE

I will offer for sale

FRIDAY, FEB. 21st

at my home, known as the Pierce Keath Property at Carmargo, 6 miles from Mt. Sterling, the following personal property:

- | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|---|
| 1 6-year old Saddle and Harness Mare, lady broke | 1 Buggy and Harness | 50 Chickens, Buff Orpingtons |
| 1 10-year old Horse, Good Worker, lady broke | 1 Good Vulcan Turning Plow | Some household and kitchen furniture |
| 1 Red polled Cow, due to be fresh at once | 1 Double Shovel, good as new | Several hundred tobacco sticks and tier poles |
| 1 Cow and calf, good one | 1 Single Shovel | Hoes, Forks and other farm tools |
| 6 Shoats, weighing about 90 pounds | 1 Fertilizer Drill | Meat and Lard from 3 Hogs |
| 2 Sows, due to farrow Mch. 10. | 1 Deering Mowing Machine, good as new | 1 Heifer, to be fresh in spring |
| Some Picked Corn in Crib | 1 Heating Stove | 1 Cow, to be fresh by Mch. 1st |
| 2 Red calves, nice ones | 1 Set Plow Gears | 1 6-year old Mare in foal, a good work mare |
| | 1 Good Farm Dinner Bell | |
| | 1 40-gallon Iron Kettle | |
| | 1 Set Wagon Harness | |

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287,332 AMERICAN

SOLDIERS RETURNED

From the signing of the armistice to February 8, 287,332 American troops in France and Great Britain had embarked for the United States, while up to February 10, 67,454 officers and 1,069,116 men had been demobilized in this country. Total arrivals of overseas troops up to February 7, were 215,749.

These figures were made public by Secretary Baker together with others relating to the number of sick and wounded now in France, and the number returned home. Men in France being treated for disease on February 1, totaled 62,561, and those suffering from wounds were 24,484. The aggregate of 87,045, was 4,688 less than in the preceding week, and 106,403 less than the number in hospitals overseas on November 14.

Since the ending of hostilities, 53,042 sick and wounded have arrived in this country, bringing the total since the beginning of the war to 63,160. On February 1, the occupied beds in hospitals in the United States numbered 60,777, while there were 47,048 vacant beds available for returning cases.

The prohibition amendment in the United States was not put into the Constitution by the South any more than by the West, nor was it put in-

to the Constitution by the West any more than by the East. It was not a movement of the monied classes, or of the middle classes, of capital, of labor, of this church or that church, of the Anti-Saloon League, or the W. C. T. U., or the Democrats, or Republicans, but of the whole people—the people of every State—North, South, East, West, Democrats and Republicans; rich; poor; all united with one heart in the determination that Americanism shall not perish from the earth.

Mr. Scott Ferris, who is the head of the Democratic Congressional Committee, says that a leading Western Senator had long been at odds with the editor of a leading Western newspaper. Finally, the newspaper editor died and his city made his funeral quite an occasion. Business was stopped and everybody went to it. A friend saw this Senator down town and said "Hello! Aren't you going out to the funeral?" "No," he replied, "but I am in favor of what's going on out there."

Instead of hitching your wagon to a star, suppose you get in touch with a good-roads movement.

Let the reformer reform himself, and the country will be safe.

Devote more time to What Is than to What Isn't.

Public Sale

Having sold my farm I will on

Wednesday, Feb. 26

beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., at my old home 3½ miles from Mt. Sterling on the Grassy Lick pike, and known as the J. O. Kirk place, offer for sale the following described personal property:

- 1 9-year-old Work and Driving Horse
- 1 5-year-old Work and Combined Mare in foal to jack
- 1 7-year-old Work Mare
- 1 4-year-old Jersey Cow and Calf, good one
- 1 3-year-old Jersey Cow and Calf
- 1 Jersey Cow, fresh in March
- 1 Yearling Steer
- 1 Brood Sow
- 1 Sow and Three Pigs
- 5 Shoats weighing 50 pounds
- 1 Duroc Jersey Male Hog
- About 25 Shocks of Fodder
- 1 Stack of Oats
- About 25 Barrels of Corn in Crib, good for seed
- Some Short Corn
- 1 Rubber Tired Buggy and Harness

- Lot of Other Harness
- 1 Man's Saddle and Riding Bridle
- 1 New Gate
- 1 Bale Shingles
- 4 Dozen Chicken Hens
- 3 Nice Cockrels
- About 5 gallons Pure Apple Vinegar
- 1 Farm Dinner Bell
- 15 to 20 Bushels Coal
- Some Irish Potatoes
- Some Tobacco Canvas
- 1 Oak Sideboard, a nice one
- Two Kitchen Tables
- Kitchen Safe
- 1 Iron Bed, 1 Folding Bed
- 1 Yarn Carpet
- Some Other Household Articles and many other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums under \$10.00 cash in hand, above that amount 6 months bankable note, bearing 6 per cent interest.

J.W. HINSON

WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer

SOLDIER LETTERS

Coblenz, Germany.
January 3, 1919.

Mrs. O. T. Williams,
Dear Sister:—

Will try to answer your letter of Nov. 29th. Was glad to know you were all well. I am feeling good now days.

This is a very fine town we are in now. We have some good times. The Y. M. C. A. gave a ball last night and had ice cream and cake. I took part in the cream. I am sending you some pictures which are very good and you can distribute among the folks, but don't fail to give Georgia one. I am going to have some more made before long.

May God be with us until we meet again. With love to all and hoping all the folks are getting along nicely.

Your Brother,

OLLIE.

Bitburg, Germany.
December 6, 1918.

Mrs. O. T. Williams,
Dearest Sister:—

I will endeavor to answer your most welcome letter which has been neglected so long. This leaves me in good health. Trusting it will find you all enjoying the rich blessing that God has given us peace to the world. I have been transferred to the Third Army Headquarters and like it just fine. Am getting plenty to eat and we are drawing clothes tonight. We are at the present time in a small town in Germany, Bitburg, will only be here for a few days and will go on farther into Germany to a town called Coblenz, which is a very large place. I am doing Company barber work now and we are located in a building that was an opera house before the war and the Germans used it for a hospital. We have electric lights and steam heat. You see I am living fine. Tell Edna and Mamie I am going to bring them a beautiful doll from this country, if it be possible. I want to bring home something for all, and I really think I will be coming before long, by the first of the year, without providential hindrance. I feel that He has protected me through all my hardships. Well, I will try to finish, I just came back from the K. of C., where they were giving away cigarettes and candy. So you see it was very tempting as that is a rarity in this country. Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

I want to write a letter to Roy. I have heard from him three times and have never written to him so I am going to write him while I have plenty of paper. I am having it easy now-a-days, so don't worry about me. I am coming home some of these sweet days. With love and best wishes to all,

Your Brother,

OLLIE.

"HOME, SWEET HOME"

When the war is over and our lads come back,
What glamour old familiar things shall gain:
The call of the thrushes through the summer rain;
The purling brook; the pine scent of the track
Through the dee-haunted woods, the red and black
Sun-sweetened berries in the quiet lane;
The hum of bees above the yellow grain;
The little ducklings' strutting, homely quack.
What joy to dive in the pool once more,
To play baseball on the village green,
To camp upon the lake's wide, sandy shore,
To gather chestnuts when the frosts are keen;
And winter nights, sit by glowing log,
With some good book, and apples, and one's dog.

—Charlotte Becker.

The time will come when some men will care nothing at all about their money unless they know they got it putting things over by the stranglehold.

JANUARY TOBACCO

BRINGS HIGH FIGURE

Kentucky farmers sold \$42,947,479.58 worth of tobacco during the month of January, according to the summary reports of sales compiled by Commissioner of Agriculture Mat S. Cohen.

The Burley District farmers were enriched \$35,843,866.55, the price of 105,206,145 pounds. The dark tobacco district came next with a total sale of 17,571,793, which brought \$2,894,267.17.

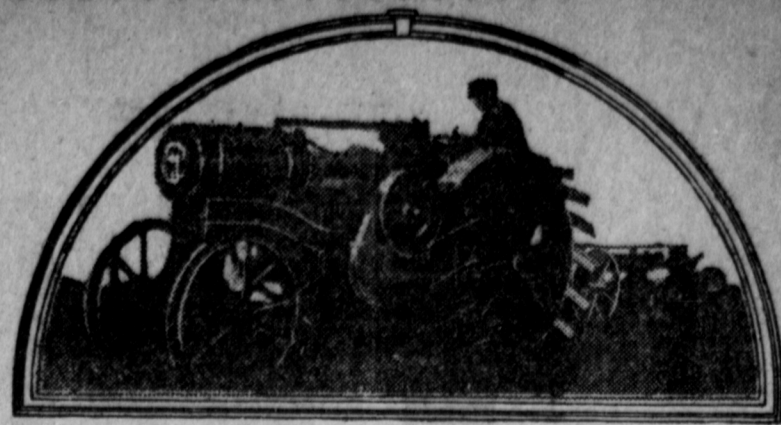
Sales of 14,695,485 pounds of Green River brought in \$2,182,035.24. One-sucker sales amounted to 13,938,348 pounds for \$2,033,310.62. Total sales of all kinds of tobacco, including that sold for growers and dealers and resales were 172,939,435 pounds, and the price paid was \$49,985,662.92. Of this 117,571,793 lbs. were sold by farmers.

The war stopped too soon. It has just been discovered that we have an unexpended war balance of \$16,000,000,000.—Little Rock Democrat. Hog Island overlooked a bet.

A man sometimes asks the benefit of a doubt when there is no doubt.

Vapomenth Salve for Croup, Colds, Etc.

For the treatment of Croup, Colds and pneumonia, rub Brame's Vapomenth Salve into the chest, throat under the arms and between the shoulders, then saturate a flannel cloth with the salve and apply around the body as hot as you can bear. For colds, coughs, bronchitis, sore throat, put a little of Brame's Vapomenth up each nostril night and morning, gives instant relief. Brame's is prescribed by physicians and is considered by druggist as the most effective.—It will not stain the clothes. Order now, don't delay. 25c, 50c, and \$1 size. 20-Apr-15.



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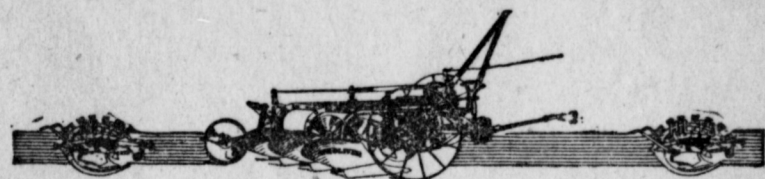
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We recommend that you use an Oliver plow with your Titan tractor because it means the best plowing under all conditions. The combined rolling coulter and jointer buries all trash and weeds at the bottom of the furrow; the stop device maintains an even depth of furrow; the plow points enter and leave the ground first, making it possible to plow clear to the ends of the field; and the trip rope control operates easily from the driver's seat on the tractor.

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When you meet Trouble half-way, you can't blame it for keeping company with you the rest of the road. The most undignified thing in the world is to come rolling down soon after you have reached the hilltop.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm I will offer at public auction on said farm on Mt. Sterling and Paris Turnpike, six miles of Mt Sterling and sixteen miles of Paris, near Sideview, the following personal property:

Sale will be held at 10 o'clock

Saturday, Feb. 22

Rain or Shine. If bad weather, sale will be held in tobacco barns.

- 10 Work Mules
- 1 Good Gentle Buggy Horse
- 1 3-year-old Filly; 2 Good Milch Cows
- 1 Jersey Heifer, Fresh in March
- 3 Good Calves; 70 Shoats and Pigs
- 8 Brood Sows
- 100 Barrels Extra Select Corn in Crib
- 50 Barrels Good Field run Corn in Crib
- About 200 Shocks Fodder
- 1 Titan 10-20 Farm Tractor, nearly new
- 1 Fordson Tractor, practically new
- 1 Set Plows for Fordson Tractor, new
- 1 J. I. Case Wheat Separator, 20x28 inch feeder and wind stacker, practically new
- 1 tandem Disc Harrow for tractor or mules
- 2 Disc Harrows; 1 60-tooth Harrow
- 1 McCormick 6-roll Special Corn Husker, brand new; 1 Tobacco Setter, new.
- 1 16-inch Rowell Ensilage Cutter, filled 3 silos. Capacity 10 tons per hour.
- 4 Wagons and beds
- 1 Case Check-Rower Corn Planter, planted only 40 acres of corn, good shape
- 1 Evans Corn Planter; 1 Deering Binder
- 3 Wagon frames; 1 McCormick Mower
- 1 Superior Wheat Drill
- 2 Case Riding Cultivators
- 2 Tongueless Cultivators; 4 Turning plows
- 1 Ideal Manure Spreader; 1 Roller
- 1 Buggy; 1 Cart; 1 Hillside Plow
- 4 Double Shovels; Five 5-tooth tob. plows
- 2 1-horse Fertilizer Drills; 1 Corn Sheller
- 1 Cycle Grinder; 1 small Anvil and Vise
- 2 Sets Wagon Harness, one new
- 1 Cross-cut Saw; 2 Hand saws
- 1 Brace and set of bits; 1½ keg of 8 p. nails
- One-half keg of 20 p. nails
- 1 Hog scalding box
- 1 Avery Walking Cultivator

- 1 60-gallon Coal Oil Tank, with pump
- 1 Set Buggy Harness; 10 coke stoves
- 1 Large Kettle; 20 thousand tobacco sticks
- 1 Lard Press; 1 Sausage Mill; 2 Tarpaulins
- 2 Scoops; 2 Boom Chains; 1 Large Sled
- 3 Steel Oil Barrels; 1 Farm Dinner Bell
- 1 Self-feeding Tankage Trough
- 6 Good Wooden Barrels; 5 Hog Troughs
- 8 Feeding Troughs for Cattle
- 1 Grindstone; 6 Chicken coops
- 1 ten-gal. Steel Barrel of Hog & Sheep dip
- 250 bushel stone coal; 1 step ladder
- 1 Thirty-foot Steel ladder
- Hoes, shovels, post hole diggers, silage forks, pitch forks, woven wire stretchers, barb wire stretchers, block and tackle, corn jobbers, axes, hatchets, hammers and many other things too numerous to mention. Also meat and lard from 5 hogs.
- 25 bu. Irish Potatoes; some hay in barn
- 7 tons tobacco fertilizer
- HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE**
- 1 Five-piece Parlor Suite
- 1 Mahogany Davenport; 1 Hall hat rack
- 1 Oak Hall Chair; 1 Oak Wardrobe
- 1 Iron bed, mattress and springs
- 1 Bed Spring; 1 Oak Wash Stand
- 1 Oak Buffet; 1 Oak Dining Room Table
- 1 China Closet; 6 Dining Room Chairs
- 1 Kitchen Cabinet; 1 Majestic Range, new
- 1 4-burner Standard Oil Stove, with back new; 1 Large Refrigerator
- 1 Patent Churn; Lot of Milk Jars and many other things.

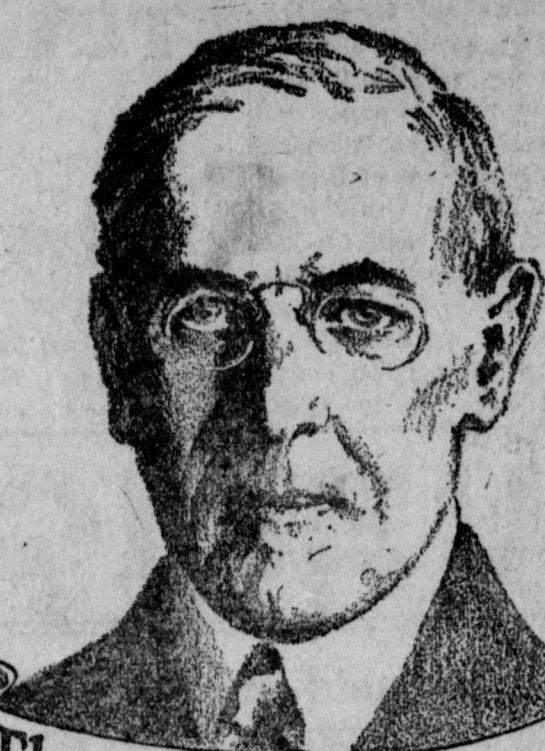
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